WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; unsettled and mild, with rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; unsettled and mild, with rain.

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FORMER PRESIDENT TO BE BURIED TOMORROW

In Accordance With Mrs. Wilson's Desires in View of Opinion Held by Her Late Husband, Funeral of Ex-Chief Executive Will Take Place With Simple Services at Residence

End Came at 11:15 o'Clock On Sunday Morning Last

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—America's war President will be laid to rest here Wednesday with a simplicity of religious service befitting the closing years of his life. No splendor of official honors will mark the entombment.

But while this decision was maturing among those he held closest in his heart, the name of Woodrow Wilson was again ringing around the world today in an outpouring of tribute to a leader who had given life itself in service for mankind.

Time was not so long ago when the name kindled the war-stricken millions of Europe to frantic hopes that the vision that shone before his eyes could be wrought in a world reborn to peace.

This was when the tramp of armed hosts on parade, the surge of tens of thousands straining to glimpse his erect figure, greeted him in the great capitals of Europe. The world hung upon his words as seldom, if ever, before upon the utterance of any man.

And yet, after another day, he will be laid to rest for a space in the marble vault on the hills overlooking the city with naught but the brief ritual of the church to solemnize his entombment. The shouting and clamor ended for him and with it all the pomp and circumstance of greatness of place when every burden of the Presidency slipped from his tired shoulders nearly three years ago.

Dislike of Ceremonials

That was the decision reached today by Mrs. Wilson. The day of her long, brave fight for her stricken husband's comfort and peace could not end, even with his death. Upon her must fall the duty of decision as to the manner and place of entombment, the weighing of the claims of the nation to pay the highest honors to the dead against her knowledge of his dislike of the show and stir of heavy ceremonials.

The whole machinery of government stood ready to surround the fallen chieftain with all the honors men have devised to tender their dead. President Coolidge placed every agency at his command at the disposal of the bereaved family in arranging for the funeral. The army, navy and marine corps stood ready to play their part in a great pageant of sorrow such as only men who have been commanders-in-chief of America's fighting forces may know.

There were those in high places who urged strongly that it was befitting that Woodrow Wilson, the War-President, should be given up for a time in death to the keeping of his countrymen that he might be rendered the homage they would do for him for the greatness of the place he had held. For his entombment was offered that shrine of American patriotism, the Memorial Amphitheatre at Arlington, where America's Cathedral tombs partly completed over the city from the ridge of rugged hills to the

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IN DEAL WITH STINNES

Charles M. Schwab, United States steel magnate, is reported to have made an arrangement with Hugo Stinnes, the German capitalist, to export unfinished German products to the States, where they will be completed and unloaded upon the South American markets in an attempt to oust Japanese and British trade in those countries. The object is to pass the materials out of the Ruhr district to American consignees, thus escaping with lower export duties.

RUSH PLANS FOR BEER PLEBISCITE

SPECIAL COURT OF REVISION MEETS APRIL 7 NEXT

Vote on Question of Sale of Beer by Glass Expected to Be Held Early in June

The vote upon the plebiscite to be submitted to the electors of the Province under legislation passed at the last session of the Legislature calling for an expression of opinion on the question of the sale of beer by the glass will be expedited as much as possible, it was stated at the Parliament Buildings yesterday.

The Government has passed an order-in-council fixing April 7 as the date upon which the special revision of the voters' lists will commence.

Under the act it is necessary, where an election or plebiscite is being taken more than six months after the last annual revision of the voters' list, a special revision must be held. The last revision was in May last. Ordinarily this year's revision would not be undertaken until May 19, but with the plebiscite in view the special revision must be made.

To hold this special revision, provide time for appeals and get the final lists printed will take probably a month. To get the lists into the hands of the various returning officers throughout the wide expanse of the Province, give due notice of the holding of the vote and complete the many other details necessary to be done, will probably require another month. So that it is likely the vote on the plebiscite will be taken on or about June 7 next.

The poll will be based upon the ridings as delineated in the new redistribution bill. This will require

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Announce Winner Of $100,000 Prize Offered by Mr. Bok

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.—Charles Herbert Levermore, of New York, student of international relations, writer and former college professor, tonight was announced as the winner of the $100,000 prize offered by Edward W. Bok, Philadelphia publisher, for the best plan to preserve peace among the nations of the world.

POINT GREY, Feb. 4.—Suffocated by fumes from his oil heater, B. C. Singh, Hindu, was found dead in his two-room shack.

COUNTRY TURNS CONSERVATIVE

Everywhere Signs Point to Party Victory in Next Federal Contest, Declares Hon. Dr. Tolmie

SUPPORTS DECREASE IN FREIGHT RATES

Policies on That and Other Important Issues Are Turning Western Voters to Support of Hon. Mr. Meighen

ENTHUSIASTIC over the prospects of the Liberal-Conservative party throughout Canada and prophesying that when the next general election is held the present Mackenzie King Government will go into the discard, Hon. Simon F. Tolmie, former Minister of Agriculture in the late Meighen administration, and now chairman of the national organization committee of the National Liberal-Conservative party, arrived home yesterday morning. It is his first visit to his home riding since August last.

For the past few months Dr. Tolmie has been traveling through the country, meeting various party organizations, getting into touch with local political affairs, and generally taking steps to perfect organization. Yesterday he spent an hour at his home on Cloverdale Avenue, unwrapping Christmas presents which have been awaiting his return.

Change in Sight

"Certainly there is a changed political situation in Canada today," said Dr. Tolmie. "Everywhere the Conservative party is getting together and gathering force throughout the Dominion." He pointed to the change in public sentiment in a political way, referring to the sweeping victory in the Province of Ontario, where the Farmer-Labor party was wiped out; to the recent elections in Prince Edward Island; to the gain made in Lanark County, Ontario, and to the reduced majorities secured by Liberal candidates in by-elections in North Essex and North Cape Breton. Large Liberal majorities had been converted into large Conservative gains. All these facts, Dr. Tolmie stated, indicaled the change in the political tide.

Especially is it in the Prairie Provinces that the swing of the political pendulum from the Progressives to the Conservatives is noted. In Alberta, Mr. W. J. Blair has been selected as party leader, and Mr. R. B. Bennet has accepted the position of president of the Liberal-Conservative organization in that province. The most important newspapers are demanding better government, and are urging a Conservative regime. People there are getting tired of the Progressive party, and are looking for something much better, he said.

Constructive Policy

The Conservative policy which has been placed before the people of the Western Prairie Provinces, he said, was in general terms: "To make

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LEGAL THREATS STIR TRUSTEES

AUTO CAMP HEADS PAINED BY NEW PHASE

Report on Unpaid Bills Is Withheld Pending Outcome of the Present Situation

Giving their time voluntarily, and being busy men, the three trustees of the Victoria Auto Camp cannot see why they should have to be bothered with interviewing solicitors and fighting any claims which may arise from failure of the city to pay submitted bills in full, and they so informed the City Council last night.

"Last Spring, when it was found that the city did not possess powers under the Municipal Act to enable them to run and operate tourist camps," wrote the trustees, "the undersigned were asked by the then City Council to act as trustees on behalf of the city, so that this work could be carried on.

"We accepted this responsibility with the sole object in view of giving service to the community and helping out a work that has proven one of the best advertisements Victoria has.

Citizens Approve

"We know that this work, which entailed a large amount of thought, and time given to meetings, visiting the camp, etc., has the hearty approval and appreciation of ninety-five per cent of the business men and citizens of Victoria. We are quite willing to add our bit to public welfare by continuing the work this year, and it will be a pleasure to us to do it.

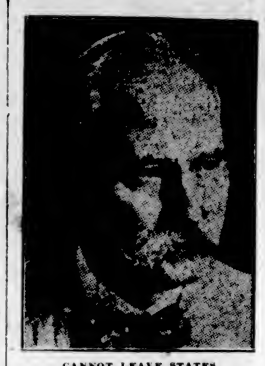
"It does seem, however, that as we are acting solely as trustees for the citizens, and have no more personal interest in the camp than any other citizen, that we should not be put to the annoyance of having to spend a lot of time interviewing solicitors and being threatened with court proceedings, etc. We shall have all the time we can spare taken up with the regular work of this camp as soon as the season opens, and do not wish to give any more time to attending court, etc., if the threatened proceedings go that far.

"We feel that if the city is going to dispute claims against the camp and take them into court, we should refer the claimants to the city solicitor, and have his services and advice. We are all busy men and have our own affairs to attend to, and we feel sure you will realize that it does not come as much of a reward or appreciation for the services we gave last year to be now bothered in this way."

The letter of the trustees was laid on the table until the Parks Committee reports. It was understood that the Mayor should try to bring about a settlement.

CLAIMS IGNORED

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—No extension is likely of the pensions regulations to include financial support for certain unemployed disabled ex-service men, whose claims were presented to the Government here last week by a delegation from the Toronto ex-service men's centralized aid committee. It was indicated at the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment today.



CANNOT LEAVE STATES

Albert B. Fall, United States Secretary of the Interior, and the storm centre of the navy oil reserves scandal convulsing Washington just now, is in a state of nervous breakdown, and orders have been issued to prevent him from leaving the United States.

Governor-General And Lady Byng Send Sympathy

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—A. F. Sladen, the Governor-General's secretary, personally called at the American Consul-General's office to express on behalf of His Excellency his deep regret on learning of the death of ex-President Wilson. Mr. Foster has requested the State Department to convey to Mrs. Wilson in her deep bereavement the sincere sympathy of Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Byng of Vimy.

GONG HAI FAT TOI; HAPPY NEW YEAR

CHINATOWN STARTS CELEBRATION OF YEAR'S BEGINNING

Thunder of Firecrackers and Music of Cymbals and Strange Stringed Instruments

Yesterday all good Chinamen of Victoria settled up their debts, cleaned house and made resolutions; and to each other, wishes of prosperity and happy new year. On meeting their first words were "Gong hai fat toi—Happy New Year."

For in Chinatown yesterday was New Year. At midnight Sunday, Sep Yee finished its full monthly course, and Jing Yut—the Oriental Janudry—started a year the number of which has its roots twenty centuries or more before Christ.

In China the New Year is being celebrated by a full two weeks' festival holiday; but in Victoria and other cities of the Pacific Coast the formal celebration is confined to a week, and in a great many instances to but a single day. Many a revered and aged father shakes his head at this slighting of custom, but the younger generation is fast loosening the old bonds of tradition, and the importance of fatherland custom fades with distance and time.

Crackers and Music

Victorians who visited Chinatown last night saw no very marked change except bigger crowds in the streets. The flashes of firecrackers and rockets brightened up the scene, and their reports made it obvious that something was being celebrated. From

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VICTORIA MOURNS GREAT AMERICAN

Sorrow and Sympathy General in City With Passing of Ex-President Woodrow Wilson—Mayor Expresses Civic Admiration for Dead Statesman—British Commonwealth Loses Sincere Friend, Declares British-American Society Spokesman

ADMIRATION for the man and regret at his sudden death were heard from all lips in Victoria yesterday with the passing of the late Woodrow Wilson, former president of the United States.

Not only among American residents of the city was sorrow manifest, but the people as a whole were depressed to small or large degree with the departure from the world's stage of one of its most outstanding figures. From all sides came tributes to the character and sterling ideals of the great American.

"Woodrow Wilson brought to national and international affairs a fine idealism," commented Mayor Hayward. "History will recognize his admirable contributions to statesmanship and literature. The American nation has good reason to be proud of its former leader, a man whose face was turned to the stars as he made his way through life.

"Perhaps he thought in advance of his times, setting his goal too far ahead to be attainable at this period.

"The service which he has done mankind in dealing with its problems with such scholarly distinction will be remembered gratefully."

Victoria Americans

To citizens of the United States in the city the news of the death of the former president came with a sharp shock, undiminished by the premonitory advices of his failing condition. Regardless of party, they grieved as one at the blow.

Mr. R. B. Mosher, American consul at Victoria, was so greatly affected by the inability of the ex-President to throw off what proved to be his fatal illness that he could find no words to express his grief.

"What can one say of such tidings?" asked Mr. Mosher. "A million throats are saying much better than I can what America thinks of him. He was a great man, a notable figure in the life not only of the United States, but of the world."

Mr. Mosher said that he had never met the former President personally in the long course of his consular experience.

He had never visited Victoria, although when making his memorable speaking tour of the United States in defence and support of the League of Nations shortly after the Versailles peace had been made, he had been invited by the Canadian Club of Victoria to come to this city as a sequel to his Seattle address.

Society Mourns Death

Members of the British-American League, an organization strong in endeavor to promote the ideals of world peace for which the dead statesman strove, expressed deepest regret at his demise. As president of the Victoria branch of the league, Mr. Lindley Crease voiced the feelings of the organization as follows:

"A noble and outstanding figure has been removed by the death of ex-President Woodrow Wilson, and Canadians, as well as his own countrymen, will pay homage to his character and to his single-minded idealism.

"He was a true American, and because he was true to his country he was a friend of the British Commonwealth. He dared to endeavor to bring his idea of justice into the intercourse of nations, and he led in the desire of the war-wrecked world for lasting peace. His political downfall may be attributed not to the faintness in his idea but to defects in his manner of promoting it. He strove for the establishment of the principle that international disputes could be capable of adjustment without bloodshed, as differences between individuals now are in civilized lands.

"Ex-President Wilson was another of the long list of leading Americans originally from British stock who led their countrymen along the path of justness to greatness; and who were not afraid to recognize that America had no better friend than the British Empire, and that the liberties of the world were now committed chiefly to their joint charge."

CITY EMPLOYEES MAKE REQUESTS

Council Is Asked for Superannuation Scheme for City Hall Staff—Amount in Estimates Last Year

REGULAR INCREASES ARE ALSO REQUESTED

Plan Is to Have Minimum and Maximum Salaries for the Various Positions — Committee to Report on Matters

IN a communication to the City Council last night the members of the City Hall staff asked for the following:

1—The inauguration of a superannuation scheme.

2—The grading of all employees in the City Hall, with minimum and maximum salaries for all positions and with statutory annual increases until the maximum is reached.

The matters were referred to the committee, consisting of Aldermen Marchant, Christie and Harvey, which has already been instructed to go into the question of the wages paid by the city.

The petition from the City Hall staff says, in part, "It is unnecessary to stress the advantages of a superannuation scheme for civic employees, as all the aldermen are sufficiently aware of the benefits accruing to any municipality adopting the same.

"The grading of employees and fixing of salaries, as suggested, will eliminate requests for increases in salary which are annually presented to the Council when estimates are about to be considered."

While an amount was placed in the estimates last year to provide for a superannuation scheme, the sum was drawn upon for various other purposes, and 1923 ended without anything being done to have the plan materialize. With the estimates about to be considered by the Council, the employees have considered the time ripe for a move in the matter of superannuation and also the inauguration of a grading system.

SIX PEOPLE DEAD FROM BOTULISM

FOUR OTHERS DYING FROM EATING HOME CANNED BEANS

One Victim Recovers From State of Coma and Seemingly Recovers, But Suddenly Expires

ALBANY, Ore., Feb. 4.—Six persons dead and four others thought by doctors to be dying here tonight as the result of eating home-canned beans which were believed to have spoiled and produced poison known as botulism.

Dead: Mrs. P. Gerbig, 34; Hilda Gerbig, 10; Marie Gerbig, 7; Golfried Ruhling; Mrs. Golfried Ruhling; Werner Yunker, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Yunker, of Thomas Station.

The dying: Paul Gerbig; Esther Gerbig, 13 months old; Reinhold Gerbig, and the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruhling.

Two other persons were stricken ill by the strange malady, but tonight were reported to have fully recovered.

Escaped Poison Food

Mrs. Reinhold Gerber, at whose home the fatal dinner was served, apparently was none the worse for her experience, and two-year-old Margaret Gerbig was believed to have escaped the poisonous food. The child is still fed by bottle and it was not known whether or not she had any of the vegetable dish at dinner.

The death of 13-months-old Esther Gerbig tonight was declared by attending physicians to be only a matter of hours and they hold out no hope for the recovery of any of the other three victims.

Golfried Ruhling was reported dead earlier in the day, but revived from the state of coma which usually precedes death from the strange malady, and for a time was believed to be on the road to recovery. Early tonight, however, his condition suddenly became worse and he died.

BRITISH CABINET ISSUES COMMUNIQUE

Intimation Made That Considerable Progress Was Made Framing Government's Policies

LONDON, Feb. 4.—A communique issued tonight states that a cabinet meeting was held this afternoon and reports were received from committees on unemployment, housing and agriculture, intimating that considerable progress had been made in working out details of the government's policy.

The communique adds that in addition to various questions relating to foreign affairs, colonial interests were discussed. In view of the number of urgent problems requiring immediate consideration, the cabinet has arranged to hold two further meetings this week.

DEATHS AT PRINCE RUPERT

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 4.—Mrs. R. K. Jones, mother of Mrs. W. S. Fisher, of this city, died last night, aged 80 years.

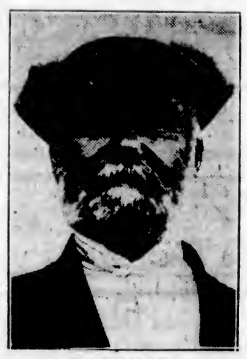
The death occurred here early this morning, at the advanced age of 80 years, of Mrs. Randolph K. Jones, sister of Mrs. C. H. Lugrin, widow of the late editor of the Victoria Colonist. She was visiting with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Fisher, of this city.

MINISTER OUTLINES IMMIGRATION SCHEME

Hon. J. A. Robb Announces Policies Just Adopted by Department for Selection, Transportation and Colonization of British Settlers in the Dominion—Advances to Be Made Towards Expense

Land Settlement Branch Organized to Handle Plan

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—Policies which have just been adopted for the selection, transportation and colonization of British immigrants were outlined tonight by Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Immigration and Colonization. They include an agreement of co-operation with the British government in contributing to the transportation expenses of selected immigrants by means of a loan in the case of adults, and of an outright grant in the case of children. Announcement also is made that a land settlement branch has been organized as the colonization arm of the Department of Immigration and Colonization to ensure that new settlers will be directed to lands where they can have the best opportunities of success and to safeguard them from exploitation in the purchase price of farms which they buy.



PETER VEREGIN

Three thousand Doukhobors are to sail shortly for Russia, it is reported, from Kamsack, Sask., and six thousand are to follow within a year, against the will of their leader, Peter Veregin, it is said. Buchanan district Doukhobors are withholding their decision until Soviet Russia promises them immunity from military service.

Nominated Passage Plan

Provision is made for enlarging the scope of the nominated passage plan for the benefit of residents in Canada not personally acquainted with persons whom they wish to nominate.

The agreement which has just been completed with the Imperial Government provides for financial assistance to three types of British immigrants, namely, children, nominated persons and household workers.

The amount of such assistance is limited, in the case of children who have not reached their seventeenth birthday, to a grant not exceeding their transportation to destination in Canada. Assistance may be given to "nominated persons" in the form of a loan, repayable without interest, not exceeding the total cost of transportation at lowest third class rates from the port of embarkation in the United Kingdom to the rail destination in Canada.

Household Workers' Loan

Similar assistance in the form of a loan is provided for household workers, with the additional provision that at the end of twelve months from the date of arrival in Canada, a refund of £5 shall be made to each female household worker who has remained for that period on a farm in Canada and who has meantime satisfactorily paid the instalments of her loan. Persons may be nominated for assistance under the nominated passage scheme by British subjects already resident in Canada, by the Dominion Government, or any of its agents, or by any provincial government in Canada, or its agents.

Of particular importance is the fact that under the new arrangements persons in Canada wishing to nominate residents of Great Britain to receive assistance as provided under the agreement with the British Government need not now be personally acquainted with the nominee. Nomination papers may be obtained from any Dominion or Provincial Government agent and may be submitted to the manager of any

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Gandhi's Release From Prison Fixed By the Government

BOMBAY, Feb. 4.—"Mahatma," Mohanda Gandhi, the Indian nationalist leader, has been released from prison unconditionally by the order of the government. Gandhi, on March 18, 1922, was sentenced to six years' imprisonment for sedition in connection with the non-co-operational movement. He gained the title of "Mahatma," or "Wonderworker," through his power and personal magnetism. Recently the nationalist leader has been in a hospital. The action of the government was taken on recommendation of the attending physicians, who declared that six months at the seaside was necessary for his convalescence.

SCHOOL OPERATION COSTS INCREASE

ESTIMATES FOR 1924 UP NINETEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS

Principal Reason for Advance Caused by Enrollment of Greater Number of Pupils

Estimated expenditure for operation and maintenance of Victoria's public schools during 1924, as compiled at last night's meeting of the School Board, is slightly over $19,000 greater than the amount expended during 1923, according to figures issued at the conclusion of the meeting.

This increase, it was explained, was made up principally by three items: Salaries of additional teachers, $13,000, employment of whom was found necessary because the enrolment of pupils at the commencement of 1924 was some two hundred greater than at the beginning of January, 1923; capital expenditure of $2,000 on the roof of the Boys' Central School; an increase of $2,000 in the estimate for fuel; making a total of $17,000. The remaining $2,000 was made up of a number of necessary items, mostly repairs.

According to the statement issued, total estimated expenditure for the ensuing year was set at $465,281, plus

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PROPOSE LAND'S NATIONALIZATION

BRITISH LABOR PARTY ISSUES AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMME

Farming Service to Be Communized, and State Monopoly to Regulate Prices of Staple Foodstuffs

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The National Council of the Independent Labor Party, of which Premier Ramsay MacDonald is a member, has issued its agricultural programme, the main points of which are nationalization of land and the organization of agriculture as a national service on a co-operative basis. A significant clause relates to creation of a state monopoly to regulate the purchase, importation and storage of staple foodstuffs with the object of stabilizing prices for several years.

RAIN AND SLEET BREAK WIRES

EASTERN AND WESTERN PORTION OF U.S. ISOLATED

Worst Storm of Winter Sweeps Across Country and Plays Havoc With Communications

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Wire communication between the eastern and western parts of the United States was almost entirely broken tonight by a rain-sleet storm that blew out of the northwest from Canada and centred about Chicago, which was completely isolated after eight o'clock, except from northwestern points over which the storm had passed.

In a roughly drawn area from the eastern boundary of the Dakotas to the western rim of the Great Lakes, the storm snapped telephone and telegraph wires. During the day the transcontinental wires were hampered, several important points being cut off at times and important circuits were re-routed to the south and west by way of St. Louis, while another protective service to the Pacific Coast newspapers was provided by a line crossing Canada from Winnipeg to St. Paul and Denver.

Worst Storm of Winter

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—The worst storm of the Winter swept the country from Minnesota to Texas today, sleet and wind playing havoc with communications, and colder weather having set in in the north. Many cities and towns were isolated by sleet-burdened wires.

The high winds, according to weather bureau reports, did almost as much damage as sleet, and reached a velocity of forty-eight miles an hour in Chicago, and ranged from thirty to forty miles an hour over much of the other territory affected, which includes Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri and southwestward into Texas.

The storm developed in the West last Saturday, and has assumed widespread proportions in the middle Mississippi Valley, although the situation is clearing up today in Western Nebraska.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 4.—The home of Rev. Wallace Carpenter, Presbyterian minister, was demolished near here tonight by a tornado, and his wife and eldest son instantly killed. Six other members of the family, including Rev. Carpenter, were badly hurt and are in a local hospital.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 4.—A tornado, accompanied by rain and hail, struck Haubstadt, Ind., 17 miles north of here late today, causing damage estimated at $100,000. Orchards, outbuildings and barns were damaged.

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FLOODS CAUSE DAMAGE

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4.—More than 1,000,000 feet of high grade logs were carried away, hundreds of trees torn down, and camp buildings and roadwas badly damaged by a flood which raged for twelve hours at Indian River, fifteen miles northeast of here, Saturday, according to word brought here today. The damage has not been estimated. The flood was subsiding today.

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Beef Pot Roasts, lb.	10c	Rump Roast Beef, lb.	18c
Prime Ribs Beef, lb.	18c	Loin Mutton Chops, lb.	33c

WAR PRESIDENT BORE GREAT LOAD

Woodrow Wilson Was Burdened With Tasks Equal to Those of Washington and Lincoln

SMASHED PRECEDENTS OF PREDECESSORS IN OFFICE

As "Schoolmaster in Politics" He Abandoned U.S. Policy or Isolation and Joined in World Affairs

One of the "war Presidents" of the United States, burdened by problems and tasks as great if not greater than those borne by Washington and Lincoln, the words and works of Woodrow Wilson are still too vivid in the public mind to assure them of a complete appraisal. A decade or two hence, perhaps, the world will fix upon this great American its estimate of his eight years' service as the chief magistrate of the Republic.

It was under Woodrow Wilson's leadership that the United States abandoned its policy of isolation and became an active participant in world affairs. The Republic underwent a national metamorphosis. Mr. Wilson, nicknamed "the schoolmaster in politics," formerly head of Princeton University, was the first Democrat since Andrew Jackson to serve two successive terms as President.

He began smashing precedents almost immediately after his induction into office by delivering his addresses in person before Congress and finished by going to Europe to attend the Peace Conference. He went abroad twice, first in December, 1918, and again in March, 1919. At times he was the most idolized and the most bitterly assailed President since Abraham Lincoln. Friends extolled him as "the peace maker of the world;" enemies declared he had thrown to the winds Washington's warnings to beware of "entangling alliances" with foreign powers.

The war over and the Treaty of Versailles, which he personally had helped to draft in Paris, signed by "the Big Four"—Clemenceau, Lloyd George, Orlando and Wilson—the President returned from France to begin a few months later, on September 3, 1919, a 10,000-mile speaking tour of the United States in behalf of the League of Nations covenant, which was part of the treaty. A conservative senate threatened and did block its ratification. During twenty-six days of almost constant travel he delivered speeches aggregating 150,000 words.

Suffers Physical Collapse

Working his way east from the Pacific coast, he had planned to make many more addresses in behalf of the League, but reaching Wichita, Kans., suffered a physical collapse, which caused him regretfully to abandon his tour.

At times during the following eighteen months, he was desperately ill and had recovered only sufficiently as late as March 4, 1921, to accompany Warren G. Harding, his successor, to the capitol for participation in part of the inauguration ceremony. Previous to this he had made only one public appearance in all that time, on June 16, 1920, and there were many alarming rumors regarding the state of his health.

Relieved of the cares of office, Mr. Wilson's convalescence was more rapid, and although he did not regain entirely his one-time robust health, he was able to engage in the practice of law in Washington in partnership with Bainbridge Colby, his former Secretary of State. The former President and Mrs. Wilson resided there in a beautiful home which they purchased for $150,000 some months before his retirement. Before leaving the White Hous, however, he was the recipient of a signal honor.

The Nobel Prize was awarded to Mr. Wilson "as tha person who had promoted most or best the fraternity of nations and the abolishment or diminution of standing armies and formation and increase of peace congresses." In accepting it, President Wilson wrote on December 11, 1920: "The cause of peace and the cause of truth are of one family. Even as those who love science and devote their lives to physics or chemistry, even as those who create new and higher ideals for mankind in literature, even so with those who love peace, there is no limit set. Whatever has been accomplished in the past is petty compared to the glory of the promise of the future."

Entry Into Public Life

Three interesting periods characterized Woodrow Wilson's entrance into public life. Elected president of Princeton University in 1902, the country at that time obtained its first glimpse of him as a national figure. This was accentuated by what has been called his fight for the "democratization" of the University in which student cliques were abolished and the sons of rich and poor men were encouraged to fraternize. Eight years later, in 1910, he was elected Governor of New Jersey.

The nomination of Governor Wilson to the Presidency by the National Democratic Convention in June, 1912, at Baltimore, after a long deadlock, was one of the most dramatic episodes in American political history. Then followed his election the following November, when he received 433 votes in the Electoral College to 88 for Colonel Roosevelt, and eight for Mr. Taft, who had been renominated by the Republican party to succeed himself.

During President Wilson's two terms there occurred a world upheaval such as had never before been witnessed since the dawn of time. Empires crumbled and thrones collapsed. The map of Europe was torn to shreds. China, that aeons-old monarchy, had already become a republic, and with the ending of the World War Russian autocracy had been humbled in the dust. German militarism was crushed. Austria-Hungary dismembered and Turkey driven out of the Holy Land.

President Wilson's participation in the Peace Conference was placid, it is said, except for occasional ripples that disturbed his usual calm. Tension at times was reported between him and Clemenceau and Lloyd George, Premier Hughes, of Australia, and Premier Orlando, of Italy, the latter at one stage of the negotiations quitting the conference and returning to Rome with his colleagues because of Mr. Wilson's attitude on the Adriatic question.

Born in Staunton, Va., December 28, 1856, of Scotch-Irish parentage and christened Thomas Woodrow Wilson, the future President was known as "Tommy" until he graduated from Princeton in 1879, and was thereafter known only as Woodrow Wilson. His father, Rev. J. Ruggles Wilson, a prominent Presbyterian minister, moved to Augusta, Ga., when Woodrow was two years old. Later the family went to Columbia, S.C., and there young Wilson, at the age of 17, entered Davidson College, leaving soon to go to Princeton. Upon graduating he studied law in the University of Virginia, and in 1882 began the practice of law in Atlanta, Galveston.

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American Leader Finds His Rest at Last

THE LATE WOODROW WILSON

Highlights in Life of War-Time President

THOMAS WOODROW WILSON was born in Staunton, Va., December 28, 1856, and was known as "Tommy" until graduated from Princeton in 1879, when first name was dropped.

Later family moved to Augusta, Ga., then to Columbia, S. C., where young Wilson, then 17, entered Davidson College, leaving soon to go to Princeton.

Upon graduation studied law in the University of Virginia.

In 1882 began to study law in Atlanta, Ga.

While in Atlanta became engaged to marry Miss Ellen Louise Axson, daughter of a Presbyterian minister of Savannah, Ga.

Clients were few, and he soon abandoned a legal career, studying for two years at Johns Hopkins University.

While there published his first book, "Congressional Government," a study of American politics, which won recognition here and abroad and is believed to have been influential in evoking offers of professorships at Bryn Mawr and Wesleyan University.

Woodrow Wilson married Miss Axson June 27, 1885.

Became successively professor of history and political economy at Bryn Mawr and Wesleyan University and later professor of jurisprudence and political economy at Princeton, of which institution he later became head.

Several books gained him a high reputation as a writer.

Received honorary degree of doctor of laws from Lake Forest College, 1887; Tulare University, 1898; Johns Hopkins, 1902; Brown University, 1903; Harvard University, 1907; Williams College, 1908; Dartmouth College, 1909. Yale made him doctor of literature in 1901.

Wilson was elected governor of New Jersey in November, 1910, serving in that office until March 1, 1913.

In 1912 received democratic nomination for President, after hectic convention at Baltimore.

In November was elected first Democratic President since Grover Cleveland, 16 years.

Contrary to modern practice, Woodrow Wilson, on April 6, 1913, appeared before Congress in person and read his inaugural address.

Tariff revision and currency reform his aim in office.

Establishment of Federal reserve banking system followed on December 23, 1913, to make national currency more elastic and prevent panics.

Re-elected to office in 1916, defeating Charles E. Hughes.

During trouble with Mexico, policy of "watchful waiting" was adopted. Imbroglio resulted in occupation of Vera Cruz in April, 1914, and expedition for capture or killing of Francisco Villa, Mexican bandit, led by General Pershing, in March, 1916, following massacre of Americans at Columbus, N.M.

Wilson's first test of strength was in stand for repeal of tolls exemption for American coastwise vessels through Panama Canal, in which he was successful.

At opening of European conflict counseled strict neutrality and drew severe criticism for efforts to keep United States out of maelstrom.

Mrs. Wilson died August 6, 1914.

Sinking of Lusitania with loss of 1,500 lives, more than 110 Americans, on May 7, 1915, caused widespread clamor for war.

Climax to situation came March 24, 1916, with the sinking of the Sussex, when the President warned Germany in a final note.

Early in 1917 diplomatic relations with Germany were broken off, and the Ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, was given passports.

During diplomatic conflict Mr. Wilson married Mrs. Edith Bolling Galt, December 18, 1915.

German underhand proposals to Mexico and Japan unmasked.

Selective Service Act enacted April 28, 1917, draft machinery was put in motion and within a year 2,000,000 armed and equipped soldiers were landed in England and France.

President largely instrumental in organizing emergency fleet corporation, war industries board, food and fuel administrations and other bodies.

During 18 months of war expenditures were $18,000,000,000, raised by liberty loans and heavy taxes on luxuries, incomes and inheritances.

President urged franchise for women in message to Congress September 30, 1918.

Sailed for France December 4, 1918.

Returned to United States February 15, 1919, after fatiguing conferences and visits to many European cities.

Returned to Paris in March, when League of Nations covenant was appended to proposed treaty. Difficulties arose, however, over city of Fiume and Rhine lands.

On May 7 peace treaty, embodying a number of Wilson's 14 points, was laid before Germany.

On June 28 he and colleagues signed treaty, which Mr. Wilson submitted to the Senate July 10.

Presented Anglo-American and Franco-American treaties to Senate July 29.

Cross-country tour on behalf of League of Nations started September 3, 1919.

Scheduled to speak at Wichita, Kan., September 26, President Wilson, wearied by labor and anxiety, abandoned tour, took to his bed and was rushed by special train to Washington.

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Well-Known Engineer Passes Away at Ottawa

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—William A. Bowden, 52, chief engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, and for the last four years Canadian engineering representative on the international board in the St. Lawrence Power Project, died suddenly here Sunday. For fourteen years Mr. Bowden had been chief engineer of the department. Among the great works which he designed and superintended may be placed the Hudson Bay Railway, the Trent River improvements, the Prince Edward Island car ferry terminals, the Moncton shops, the Port Colborne elevator, and the Welland ship canal. The operation of the canal system of Canada was directly under his charge up to the time of his death.

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HANGMAN ARRIVES

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 4.—Arthur Ellis, official executioner, visited Sheriff H. D. McMartin at New Westminster this morning, and later went out to Okalla to make arrangements for the hanging of Chong Sam Bow, convicted for shooting of Charles Jones, B.C.E.R. lineman, last year, on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock.

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AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SUSPECT RING IN VANCOUVER

Will Investigate Spiriting of Aliens Into American Territory—Arrest One Man

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4.—Possibility of the existence of a big ring of well-financed men engaged in the lucrative occupation of smuggling aliens into the United States across the Canadian border, operating from a Vancouver headquarters, is being investigated by Federal officers from Seattle, following the arrest of John Gould, of Bellingham.

Gould, who claims to be British and to hail from Vancouver, but who looks like a Russian, was arrested after he had taken Mike Chogoff, a Russian across the border for a $50 fee without the formality of interviewing the immigration or customs officials. It was after he had demanded another $10 for accomplishing the feat, when they had driven as far as Bellingham that Chogoff innocently complained to the police and the arrest followed.

For some time United States officials have been suspicious of the existence of an alien smuggling ring with headquarters in Vancouver, and it is hoped that the arrest of Gould, who is being held in default of $1,000 bail, may result in getting a line on the headquarters of the ring here.

Immigration Inspector William M. Shearer, who made the arrest, is continuing his investigation.

TUBERCULOUS VETS ASSIST CLAIMANTS

Local Body Outlines Method of Application to Be Followed With Pension Appeal Cases

The Tuberculous Veterans' Association are anxious that Comrade G. H. Sedger, soldier advocate for Vancouver Island, should have the full confidence and co-operation of all ex-service men and dependents who intend to appeal, or who have already given notice of appeal for adjustment of pensions or D.S.C.R. treatment, and in order that the task of the soldier advocate may be made less difficult, and the chances of success more certain for the appellant, the following method of application is suggested:

The claimant should draw up carefully a very full and complete statement of his military history, covering the entire period from the date of his enlistment to the date of his discharge, omitting not even the minutest detail which might have a bearing on his disability. This statement, after it has been revised by someone having a knowledge of military histories, should then be sworn before a Justice of the peace or notary public.

Certificates from doctors or medical officers who have attended the claimant either during or subsequent to his military service should be obtained. This is very necessary, because of the fact that army medical history sheets are rarely reliable, and in some cases haveeven been found to contain no record of serious illness or injury suffered by a man during his service.

Very valuable evidence may also be obtained from employers with whom the claimant may have been employed subsequent to his discharge from the service and prior to his physical breakdown. A certificate should be obtained where possible to show that the claimant suffered ill health during the period of his employment, and also that it was necessary for him to absent himself from work at intervals on account of sickness.

Friends Can Help

Friends, acquaintances or comrades of the claimant can also assist materially in establishing a man's claim by certifying to his previous good health and to any change they may have noticed taking place in his physical condition. All certificates must be sworn to by those furnishing them, and they should be attached to the sworn statement of the claimant. All documents may then be submitted to the soldier advocate, who will advise whether or not the case may be appealed, and if in the affirmative, he will at once be informed as to the next method of procedure.

Many cases have been satisfactorily adjusted by following the procedure outlined above. It must be borne in mind, however, that a great deal depends on the claimant's own efforts. Unfortunately, in not a few cases, everything is left to the soldier advocate, and little or no "hustling" is done by the person principally concerned. It is he—the claimant—who knows most about his own history and about those who can furnish certificates in support of his statements. It therefore depends on his own efforts whether his claim can be established or not. It may be of interest to men suffering from pulmonary diseases to know that Comrades Stock and Waterson, of the T.V.A., are greatly assisting both the claimant and the soldier advocate in the preparation of cases, especially where the appellant is a patient in hospital.

FISH CANNERIES ARE PLANNED IN MEXICO

American engineers are now laying the foundation for the first unit of the Mexican Gulf Coast fish canning industry to be situated on the island of Perez, about five miles off the Jucatan coast.

This venture is the outgrowing of a recent disaster when an American shipwrecked crew was brought to the port of Vera Cruz. A small schooner which has been lost on the Alacran reef was one of the fleet engaged in catching the red snapper off the Yucatan and Campache banks and disposing of them fresh to the American market of Florida. There are many other kinds of edible fish along these banks, and the refugees decided that if a concession could be obtained from the Mexican Government they would engage in the fish canning industry.

A corporation was formed under the Mexican laws, backed by American capital, and is believed to be but one of a number of companies shortly to be formed to include all Central American waters.

The plant being erected calls for a daily production of eighty tons of canned fish, the principal products being lobster, mackerel, sardines, bonito, crabs, clams, anchovies, shrimp, borachuda, red snapper and mullet.

LIM JIM HATES STORE WINDOWS OF HIS ENEMIES

Lim Jim had a curious experience early one morning last week, and he told Magistrate Jay about it in the police court yesterday; and the upshot of it was that Magistrate Jay took a very serious view of it, and fined Lim Jim $15 and told him not to do it any more.

It seemed that it was a wet morning, and Lim Jim remembered it because he was walking along Government Street at six o'clock in the morning with three bottles of coal oil in his hands. And it was a blustery morning, too, so that the wind blew a certain quantity of rain into Lim Jim's mouth, and Lim Jim blew it out again, of course, and naturally it went against the window of the Victoria Shoe Repairing store. Only that, Your Honor, and nothing more.

Constable Varney thought there was more than that. Constable Varney did not see it that way at all. First of all, it was not a wet morning, nor was the wind blowing. Neither had Lim Jim walked along with three, or any, bottles of coal oil in his hands. The fact was that Lim Jim had come along and deliberately spat against that window.

And all this the constable could swear to because he had been secreted in the store for the specific purpose of watching the proceedings of Lim Jim. There had been complaints about Lim Jim; and it seemed that when Lim Jim did not like a person, he went along early in the morning and spat upon the windows of that person.

TAX DELINQUENTS PAY HEAVY FINES

Dominion Department Prosecutes Six Persons Here for Failure to Make Income Returns for 1920

The mills of the Dominion income tax collectors grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly sure. It was discovered in the police court yesterday, when six persons were charged with failure to file returns of their income for the year 1920, after receiving thirty days' notice from the Commissioner of Taxation.

Fines of $50 each in three cases, and $100 in a fourth, were imposed by Magistrate Jay, while two cases were remanded for further investigation and consideration. Further prosecutions were pending, it was announced; but it was the hope of the prosecution that the warning would be heeded by those similarly delinquent.

Heavy Penalties

Appearing for the Ottawa department, Mr. Carewe Martin said that the law was that all persons must make a return of their income, whether they were liable to taxation or not. There was a penalty of $25 a day fixed by law for every day of failure to file a return of income, after thirty days' notice had been given by the commissioner; but the department had only charged two days' default in each instance.

An unofficial computation of the actual penalty assessable against the defendants on a literal enforcement of the act revealed the fact that the delinquents were in debt to the Dominion Government in the sum of about $30,000 each, figured at $25 a day for the last three years.

R. J. Cummins, who had made his return since he was served with the summons, said that the amount of income tax for which he was liable was so small that he did not bother about it. It was not a valid excuse, in the court's opinion, and a fine of $50 was imposed. Similar fines were ordered in the cases of E. A. Eagel and J. Corkle.

Charged for Two Years

Charles S. Mann was charged in respect of two years, 1920 and 1921. He said he had been some time absent in the United States during both of those years and had neglected to attend to the matter. Mr. Martin pointed out that thirty days' notice had been given by registered letter from the commissioner, and there was no excuse for the neglect. A fine of $100 was imposed, $50 on each charge.

The cases of Fred Foggie and Frank Botsford were adjourned for further investigation. Mr Foggie said he had gone down to the postoffice to get the income tax forms and had been told that as he was a married man whose income was below the taxable minimum, he need not make a return. He could bring witnesses to that fact, he said; and he thought there had been another mistake in that he was wrongly entered as an unmarried man on the books of his employers. Mr. Botsford pleaded simply that he had been out of work and was unable to pay any tax. He had not thought it was necessary for him to make a return.

DAVID BLAIN KERR DEAD

TORONTO, Feb. 3.—David Blain Kerr, 60, telegraph editor of The Toronto Mail and Empire, died suddenly Saturday. He leaves a widow and two brothers, John, on the staff of The Toronto Globe, and James, in newspaper work in Vancouver.

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Provincial Library Welcomes Help in Gathering Records of Pioneer Days—Photographs, Letters, Etc.

Time is fast eradicating the landmarks connected with the early history of British Columbia, and with the influx of population and the rapid settlement and cultivation of the country, unless some concerted effort is made to collect permanent records, many of the associations of pioneer days will gradually disappear. The photograph is probably one of the best mediums for recording the development of the country. There must be in the hands of private individuals many photographs taken in past years depicting localities in their virgin state in which latterly towns and cities have grown.

It is with a view to gathering these records in a central place that the Provincial Archives Department, with the co-operation of the Arts, Historical and Scientific Association of Vancouver, and the B. C. Historical Association, is making this appeal to municipalities, railroad companies, lumber companies and officials or individuals associated with development work in British Columbia, in the hope that from these sources original photographs, old and new, may be obtained or permission granted to make copies.

The Provincial Archives, in addition to collecting pioneer records, manuscript journals, diaries and letters, has for several years been collecting portraits of pioneer residents and historical views, as well as photographs of Indians showing their dwellings, customs, dress, etc. A system has recently been inaugurated whereby these photographic records are carefully indexed by subject and placed in a series of large albums, where they are made readily available for reference.

An appeal is also made to those having books, pamphlets and manuscript records relating to early days to place these in trust with the Provincial Library and Archives Department. Many important records have been destroyed by fire in the houses of their owners or have fallen into the hands of those, who having no interest in the collection of such things, have caused the destruction of much valuable information.

The Provincial Library and Archives Department is made use of by thousands of people seeking information on innumerable subjects, including those of Provincial interest, and it would assist the management greatly if municipal authorities, societies and institutions would place the Provincial Library on their mailing lists to receive printed reports regularly as issued.

SOOKE STAGE DRIVEN BY ITALIAN WAR HERO

A motor stage service between Sooke and Victoria is being provided every day except Sunday by Capt. G. Troya, who distinguished himself with the Italian forces during the war. For the last two months Capt. Troya has given a service three days a week, but on the first of this month he commenced the daily runs, leaving Sooke wharf at nine o'clock in the morning and departing from Young's Shoe Store, Johnson Street, each weekday at five. Capt. Troya won a number of decorations for valor during the war, among these being the Italian equivalent of the Victoria Cross, which was gained for stopping, with a small number of men and the use of liquid fire, an Austrian attempt to cross the Piave River.

COUNTY COURT LIST

Judge Lampman satin the County Court yesterday, and assigned dates of trial during the present month to the following list of actions:

Dubois vs. Conery.

Scott & Peden (Tait) vs. Vancouver Island Logging Sales Agency et al. (Higgins).

D. H. P. Johnson (Cameron) vs. H. C. Copeland (Marchant).

J. J. Scath (Straith) vs. John Day (Aikman).

C. & C. Taxi Service, Ltd. (Higgins) vs. H. V. Cooley (Crease).

W. R. Rennie (Cameron) vs. N. D. Leeper (Keefer).

Ellen Cheetham (Finland) vs. W. Hayes (Robertson).

Columbia Paper Co., Ltd. (Harrison) vs. A. T. Porter.

L. M. Corke (White) vs. S. D. Featherston, and Victoria Tie & Export Co., Ltd. (garnishee) (Mellfree).

D. K. Chungranes, Lt., vs. F. W. Stubbs, et al. (Davey).

A Health Secret

It is frequently claimed by physicians that nine-tenths of all human ills may be traced to neglect to keep the bowels regular and the liver and kidneys active.

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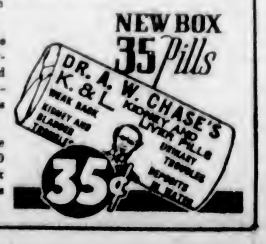

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DR. WOODROW WILSON

Dr. Woodrow Wilson would have been a living force in human memory if he could have made his dreams come true. He may yet become so, because it is possible that he thought in advance of his age. He was an idealist, perhaps the greatest idealist and scholar that ever occupied the position of Chief Executive in the United States. He had the vision of a world federation to enforce world peace mainly by the strength of its moral influence. He lacked the power of outlining the detail which would make the Covenant of his League of Nations a thing of life and perpetuity, and others had to take the task in hand. He underestimated the consciousness of his own people in supporting the ideal which he laid before humanity. When it came to practical action they turned their backs on the conception of their President. History will probably give the verdict that they were wrong and he was right.

The late President Wilson has definite claims to a niche in the pantheon of his country's fame. There are those who laid blame on him because America was slow in entering the Great War on the side of the Allies. He knew his country better than those who criticized his course of action. He knew that Americans must pass through a process of education and assimilate the experience of events before he could command united and enthusiastic action from the country. He knew how to bide his time, and the end may be held to have justified the period of expectancy. In any case, in the eyes of his countrymen he will be respected always because he chose what to them was the psychological moment for their entry to the Great War. In the eyes of the Allied Nations in that struggle the fame of the late President is assured, and the part which he endeavored to play in the peace negotiations will be remembered always to his credit.

Dr. Wilson typified much, if not all, that was best in the American nation. He has set a great goal for his country, that of being a powerful arbiter in the destinies of world peace. A man of high moral and mental attainment he sought to elevate the politics of his country. Wherein he failed the fault did not rest with himself Although the Armament Limitation Treaty came about under the regime of the late President Harding it was made possible by the ideals placed before the world by Dr. Wilson, ideals which the British peoples have applauded and done their part to convert into actualities. Dr. Wilson was a great, good and high-thinking statesman. Wherein he was too visionary it was vision in the cause of what was for the moral uplift of Americanism and humanity. For his ideals he will be remembered, and his memory will grow all the greener with the efflux of time when the dreams which he dreamt of a cleaner and more wholesome civilization are brought appreciably nearer realization.

BRITAIN AND RUSSIA

Many of the actions of the new Labor Government in Britain will, without doubt, show a tendency to precipitancy. That is inevitable where so many of the members of that Government are lacking in experience and unused in a responsible sense to counting the cost of their actions. Mr. MacDonald in extending de jure recognition to the Soviet Government has obeyed his own inclinations and the pressure of the extreme wing of his followers. If he thinks, however, that trade with Russia under the present dispensation, is going to solve or help to solve the unemployment situation in Britain he is probably entering on a period of disillusionment. The effect of that recognition will be more political than commercial. Britain is now carrying on a modicum of trade with Russia in a private way, but no governmental recognition of the Moscow regime is likely to put Russian traders in greater affluence to meet their commitments in respect to foreign trade.

Mr. MacDonald has taken a step in the recognition of Russia which is approved by his own party, but he is not in a position to say if it has the sanction of a majority of the British people. He has taken a step which the United States has refused to take. He has acted without consulting Parliament, and yet the difference of opinion is so great on the subject that he could have very well left a decision to the arbitrament of the House of Commons. No doubt his powers as Secretary for Foreign Affairs are very great. This is a matter in which he had no need to consult Parliament, but then a Labor Government is, by virtue of its title, essentially democratic and therefore should be essentially responsive to the constitutional usage of majority rule.

Mr. MacDonald will meet Parliament with recognition of the Soviet Government as an accomplished fact. Britain is to enter into negotiations with Russia about the outstanding problems between the two countries. The most outstanding are the Russian debt and the putting of a period to Bolshevik revolutionary propaganda in British lands. Mr. MacDonald's attitude on these two problems, and the assurance he will be able to give the House of Commons of the wisdom of trusting Russia will prove interesting. He has opened up a grave situation by governmental action when he could have readily escaped personal responsibility by leaving a decision to Parliament. Mr. MacDonald, however, is headstrong in some respects, and he chooses to ignore the fact that so far as recognition of Sovietism was an issue of the late election campaign it was defeated along with the Capital Levy issue and other Labor political cries. The danger to his Government lies in flouting public opinion. It is a danger that is accentuated when the Government in office cannot command with any absolute assurance one-third of the votes in the House of Commons.

MR. STANLEY BALDWIN

Unless it is his own wish to retire from the leadership there can hardly be any question that the British Conservative Party on Monday next will give a pledge of its renewal of faith in Mr. Stanley Baldwin. His opponents, by heaping the blame on him for having precipitated the late election, have sought to drive him from the leadership. Some of his own followers, more concerned about the loaves and fishes than about political principles, believe that he should give way to some other leader. That is not the opinion of the rank and file of the Conservatives, nor do we believe it is the wish of the British people. Mr. Baldwin's reputation has not suffered by the defeat of the Conservative Government. On the contrary, his course has been so honest and so obviously dictated by upright principles and steady convictions that he stands strengthened rather than weakened in the estimation of the British people. The Conservative Government took its defeat in a sportsmanlike way. There was no repining. Mr. Baldwin is on record as saying his party will offer no factious opposition to the Labor Government. He is a good loser, and the English love a politician of that type.

There are few if any leaders, or possible leaders, within the Conservative Party of Britain at the present time more likely to cement whatever minor differences exist than Mr. Baldwin. In the late election he fought a gallant fight against forces which continually misrepresented the policies which he laid before the people. He has nothing whatever to reproach himself with, for he would not have been an honest statesman if he had persisted in holding office when he knew he could not solve the chief problem before the country without a mandate from the people. He sought that mandate and the result was that he suffered defeat in the House of Commons. He has shown a greatness of soul in defeat that has impressed the people of Britain. Next Monday's gathering of British Conservatives in every probability will result in affirmation of his leadership. British political parties are not in the habit of seeking for scapegoats; there are no sacrificial offerings necessary because the Conservatives have suffered a defeat.

Canada's ice hockey team in the Olympic Games has had an easy passage to victory. Its success should be an inspiration to the country to put its best possible combination of athletes in the arena for the rest of the games. There is excellent material available in a variety of sports and expense should not be allowed to stand in the way upon an occasion such as offers during the present year.

A high tribute to the value of insulin in the fight against diabetes is contained in the annual report of the British Medical Research Council for 1922-23 which says: "Men declining quickly or slowly through stages of weakness and pain to early death have been brought within a few days back to full working power; sufferers carried to hospital actually dying of diabetes, already helpless and unconscious, have been resuscitated as by some magic, and have been brought back almost at once to normal life by help of this remedy. This boon appears as a sudden gift; diabetic men, women and children in these recent months have been granted alleviation which has been denied to all their suffering predecessors during all recorded time."

Mr. Howard Smith, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, says: "Business cannot stand existing external taxation. It has become intolerable and must be reduced." Business men are more than ever concerned about the burden of taxation since the new sales tax went into effect.

Prominent Lumberman Dead

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—James William Bryson, 65, prominent lumberman, died Sunday.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The United States Congress is considering a bill for the restriction of immigration. The provisions of the measure will apply to Canada. We hope the Government of Right Hon. Mackenzie King will not hasten the appointment of a Canadian ambassador to Washington for the express purpose of remonstrating against the adoption of that bill. We also hope Canada will not resort to retaliatory measures in this instance. Canadians will be delighted to admit as many Americans into this country as care to cross over and share their fortunes, and we feel that a multitude is going to take advantage of an exceptional opportunity. The tide of emigration to the South has passed the flood and is about to turn right round and run the other way.

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It is an unfortunate thing that an agitation has arisen in England against emmigration to Canada. It was started by a few pilgrims who could not find a niche in Canada into which they would fit, and some of the British newspapers are doing their utmost to disparage this country on account of the failure of those persons, who would have been failures anywhere. If some of the British unemployed prefer unemployment at home to work in Canada, and their home government desires to encourage them in idleness through its pernicious doles system, we simply must look to other sources for the population needed to fill up our waste places. When the exclusion measure of the United States goes into effect there will be many immigrants knocking at our doors.

A number of years ago a Federal Civil Service Commission was appointed for the purpose of correcting abuses and effecting needed economies in the civil service. The result illustrates the absurdity of attempting to root out an admitted abuse by any such system. The number of Government employees has more than doubled within the past few years, and the Civil Service Commission itself has proved nothing more than an instrument for heaping increased burdens upon the shoulders of the taxpayers. It began business with a modest establishment, but the number of its employees has increased by "leaps and bounds." There is only one way in which extravagance at Ottawa, or anywhere else, can be summarily checked. The authority responsible must act. The responsible authority in this case is the Government, and it should not be permitted to shirk its duty by the subterfuge of transferring its obligations to the shoulders of an irresponsible commission. The taxpayers of Canada are thoroughly in earnest in their demands for reductions in taxation, and all governments concerned should now be well aware of public sentiment on the subject.

The Government of Ulster says the Government of the Irish Free State may adopt any kind of fiscal system it pleases, but the people of the North are going to maintain untrammelled their profitable business connections with Great Britain. Premier Craig also says the existing boundary between the North and South is fixed and unalterable. If he has gone to London to consult with the Labor Government on the subject, that is only a matter of courtesy and form. Thus two subjects that may be considered of some importance to the Empire have been settled for the time being.

An important concession has been made to the prejudices of the members of the Labor Government. They may attend court functions attired simply in silk stockings, satin breeches and swallow-tailed coats. Even at that we can imagine what the sentiments of some of the radical supporters of the Ministers would be if they encountered the said Ministers in a public place arrayed in such garments. We expect Parliament will hear something strong on this subject.

A woman has been ordained in the pastorate of a church in England. Now we have women in Parliament, women on the bench, women at the bar, women in municipal councils, women on school boards, women on juries, women in their clubs, women in society, women everywhere, an old grouch says, but in the places where they ought to be—and if that sacred institution the home is to be maintained, very soon the men will have to do it. What about that old myth that the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world? What is a cradle, anyhow?

The Labor Party in Australia is opposed to the importation of governors. It says the people of the Southern Continent believe in complete self-government. Probably the Labor Government of Great Britain may have a few supporters who would like comparatively easy jobs with handsome salaries attached to them. However, the matter is not likely to result in serious complications.

The Teapot Dome political scandal in the United States is going to prove something more than a tempest in a teapot. Prominent representatives of both the great political parties are now involved in it. The name of the most prominent Democratic candidate for the presidency as well as that of a well-known member of the distinguished Roosevelt family have been dragged into the mire of controversy. If the political bosses over there do not watch out they may have a real third party jumping over the fence and creating havoc in their carefully preserved fields.

Poems That Endure

Untwisting all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony
—John Milton

TOO LATE I STAYED

Too late I stayed—forgive the crime!
Unheeded flew the hours:
How noiseless falls the foot of Time
That only treads on flowers!

And who, with clear account, remarks
The ebbings of his crime,
When all its sands are diamond sparks,
That dazzle as they pass?

O, who to sober measurement
Time's happy swiftness brings,
When birds of paradise have lent
Their plumage to his wings?
—William R. Spencer.

By the Way—

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IN Lithuania amber was used long, long ago for many and varied purposes. Among the women of olden Lithuania the quaint custom of hanging amber beads on the small child sick with jaundice was followed. It was supposed to effect the disappearance of the disease. Beautiful rosaries were made from amber, and to adorn their persons fair Lithuanian girls fashioned necklaces from amber beads.

Amber Is Product of Pine Trees

Amber is the product of pine trees. Sometimes the pitch from the pines flowed through broken limbs and hung for many years until the pine became old, rotted and fell down. When rotted it became mixed with the ground, and a flood would cause it to become covered with soil. After being covered with soil for many years the limbs of the rotted pines hardened and became unbreakable.

On the Baltic coast of Lithuania amber is taken from the sea, while in other parts of Lithuania it is dug from the earth. The incoming tide causes the amber, together with trees and ocean grasses, to be thrown up to the shores.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Why Are Taxes So High?

Sir,—In reading Mr. A. D. Crease's letter of 30th ult., appearing in your paper of this date under the above caption, whilst this letter is not intended in any way as a criticism of Mr. Crease's communication it seems to me he could have gone one better in his suggestions by calling attention to the fact that whereas by Section 50 of the Public Schools Act it is declared "to be the duty of the Board to provide sufficient school accommodation and tuition free of charge" to all children between six and sixteen years of age, nevertheless by Section 159 of the same Act compulsory attendance of such children is not exacted beyond the age of fifteen years, to quote subsec. 1 of said Section "subject to the exemptions provided in subsection (3) every child over the age of seven years and under the age of fifteen years shall attend some public school during the regular school hours every school day." Is there not, therefore, a substantial conflict between these Sections of the Act, and would not an amendment to Section 50 bringing it in line with Section 159 of the Act materially assist in the desired object of reducing taxation? For the life of me I cannot see the necessity of making it compulsory to provide school "accommodation" and all that such word entails for children between six and sixteen when it is not compulsory to attend public school except between the ages of seven and fifteen, entailing two years extra education.

C. H. BEEVOR POTTS

P.O. Box 192, Nanaimo, B.C., Feb. 1, 1924.

Beer Licences

Sir,—Since your publication of my letter of last week concerning ex-soldier clubs I have had to run the gauntlet of a barrage of questions and buttonholings in the streets and elsewhere. Among other questions I have been asked, "Why should ex-soldiers have privileges not accorded to their fellow citizens?"

Sir, the ex-soldier does not look for any special privilege outside the pension, if wounded, and hospital treatment. Ex-soldiers do not wish to bar others from the club licence field. Indeed, we would go further than the licensed few and would raise no objection to all citizens having the privilege to obtain beer and light wines from well-conducted hotels and restaurants. I think that the majority of us are against the old-time saloon bar. Among those who spoke to me on the matter of soldier clubs was a young man who had served in the war. He was very bitter, and very unjust, in his remarks as to the conduct of a soldier organization with which I have become recently connected. I took exception to the terms "hoboes," "reds," "dead beats" and "longshoremen." None will deny, soldiers least of all, that "dead beats," etc., or, in other words, those who like a glass of beer, fought and died as bravely as any who served in the German war. I, for one, am not disposed to hear brave men adversely criticized because they chance to like a bottle of beer—not even when they get a bottle of beer too much. I have seen such men holding on to mine craters under hells of shrapnel and machine-gun fire, with gas, bombs and high explosive filling in any intervals; while around these men lay thousands of dead, to say nothing of the poor wounded, writhing in the agony of wounds, the very look of which in a peaceful Victoria hospital would make most of our detractors flinch and faint. There is, however, another and better side to soldier clubs. It is this. If the soldiers did not band themselves in clubs what sort of a deal would our masters the war profiteers and politicians hand out? We are sufficiently disunited now—but, if there were no soldier clubs, pensions would be cut down to far below their already inadequate figure.

Outside soldier circles none in Victoria, or the Dominion, know anything of the evils and horrors of war, and such may thank God and the soldiers that they are in such ignorance. Even the "hoboes" and the "longshoremen" ask little else of their fellow citizens than the right to live their lives in their own fashion, and to let others, who may not see eye to eye with them, do the same. It was for that we fought—it is that we expect from victory. Sir, it is not always those who sit in high places who have done most for Canada—some of the "longshoremen," "reds" and "deadbeats" have deserved equally well with Sir Arthur Currie and his officers. And, Sir, the "reds" and "deabeats" are not only found among the rank and file of the battalions. Ex-officers are today tramping the streets of Victoria and Vancouver looking for such crumbs that may fall from the tables of the war profiteers—often looking in vain, for months. And then, Sir, the poor fellows who have been maimed for life! What is their lot? A pension! Yes! But what goes with that pension? A periodical stripping and proddding of old wounds and injuries by Government doctors — decent, clever men in the main—who know that any increase of pension by their agency may mean loss of appointment or livelihood. Surely, Sir, a poor fellow minus leg, arm or eye might be allowed to live his life in such peace as is left to him without ceaseless efforts to lop off five, ten or fifteen dollars from monthly pension or yearly bonus.

I'm not romancing, Sir, indeed. It is hardly a subject for romance. Ottawa machinery is even now being put in motion to pare down the pensions or bonuses paid to amputation cases. Doubters may ask the secretary of the local Amputation Club for a glance at the latest circular from his Ottawa headquarters. It will be seen from the above that soldier clubs are quite necessary for purposes other than the drinking of beer. We have blackguards in our ranks, without doubt—but what church in Victoria is free from them?

CHARLES FLICK.

53 Wellington Avenue, Victoria, B.C., February 4, 1924.

Royal Exchange

Sir:—In your issue of Sunday you give a picture of what you call the London Stock Exchange. As a matter of fact the picture you give is the Royal Exchange. The Stock Exchange fronts on Throgmorton Street, the other entrances being on Threadneedle Street; at least, that was the case when I was in the "House" some twenty years ago. In any case, it is the Royal Exchange you are calling the Stock Exchange.

It is a small matter, but if you wish to give these gratuitous pieces of information, they may as well be correct. This is the second time your Sunday issue has given quite misleading information on quite uninteresting facts within a very short space. I refer to my letter with regard to your statements about the village of Early in Berkshire.

G. T. MAURICE.

1570 Pemberoke Street, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 4, 1924.

Game Conservation

Sir,—The attention of Duncan Board of Trade has been drawn to a report in The Colonist, of January 25, headed "Cowichan Fishing," and being a report of the recent meeting of the Victoria Game Association, I am instructed by my Board to say that we agree with them that the extension of the reserve to take in the waters between Cowichan Bay and Salmon Arm would be better. The Duncan Board of Trade has worked for that for many years, and we never received any assistance from Victoria sporting organizations. We have always expressed ourselves as against net fishing in Cowichan Bay and vicinity, and have never withdrawn our objections for any consideration whatever. Our record will show that the Duncan Board of Trade has led the Cowichan people in an unceasing fight to have our fish better protected. This vicious attack by the Victoria Game Association is entirely unwarranted, and is absolutely false, and we challenge them to prove their statements. It seems a great pity that this so-called sporting organization could not devote a little time to helping, instead of knocking and slandering other bodies which are honestly trying to do their best to protect the fish of this Province.

H. F. PREVOST.

President, Duncan Board of Trade

Duncan, B.C., Feb. 1, 1924.

Why Are Taxes So High?

Sir,—Taxpayers and others are much indebted to you for publishing the very able and valuable letter under above heading, written by Mr. A. D. Crease. He gives us the very important information that the School Board is only under the obligation to supply free education to children up to the age of sixteen, their sixteenth birthday letting them out, any further permission to grant special education being restricted with the proviso that the necessary accommodation is already on hand. Obviously the Board does not possess the unlimited power that our City Councils seem content to let us think they have. All we have got to do is to see that our City Councils do not provide the accommodation which will give the School Boards a chance to play about with the taxpayers' money. The taxation must be reduced. Why cannot our School Boards and City Councils realize the situation; pull together instead of selfishly hanging on from year to year and clinging to what they consider to be their rights.

F. M. READE.

9 Mt. Edwards Apts., Vancouver St., Victoria, B.C., Feb. 2, 1924.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 8, 1874)

The Drydock Fiasco—Everyone is talking about the drydock fiasco. As long as the correspondence was kept back, conjectures and rumor were rife—expectation was on tiptoe. But ah! after the correspondence was seen—the light of day—when it has been stripped of its gauze and tinsel—when, like the Irishman's potato, it has lost its jacket, it turns out that the Premier's trip resulted in nothing.

At Four-Mile House—A few electors assembled at the Four-Mile House yesterday to hear candidates for the Commons and the local House express their views. Owing to the slim attendance no meeting was organized, and after a wordy "spat" between the Premier and Mr. Harris, which reflected no credit on either, the affair terminated.

The steamer Enterprise sailed at 8 o'clock yesterday morning for New Westminster with the following passengers: Judge O'Reilly, Rev. Mr. Turner, Mr. Bowdney and wife, Mrs. Irvine and Messrs. Barnard, Crimp, Oppenheimer, Tuckfield, Johnson, K. X. Clarke, and Lewin.

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COLUMBIA SCHOOL IN MONTHLY RECITAL

Interesting Programme by Pupils Is Fifth Given This Season—Good Talent Displayed

The fifth monthly recital by the Columbia School of Music this season brought an audience of about two hundred to the institution rooms on Broad Street last Friday night, and some excellent senior talent of vocal or instrumental genre was heard in the course of the evening. Foremost among the students who appeared on the programme were the Misses M. and E. Lewis, who were heard in piano duet; Messrs. R. Heard and F. Pitt, piano duet; the Misses Osborn, Hawkswood, Mildenhall and Elliott, piano quartette; Mr. Heard and Miss Mildenhall, Mr. Pitt and Miss Osborn, piano quartette; and the following solo pianists: Miss E. Lewis, Mr. Fred Pitt, Miss Dorothy Osborn, Miss M. Lewis, Miss Isabel Mildenhall and Mr. Ronald Heard. The leading vocalists of the evening were: Miss Watson and Mr. Clarkson, heard in duet; Miss Marjorie Watson, Mr. R. Clarkson; and Miss B. Graham, violinist, greatly pleased everyone by her playing.

Others who appeared on the programme as pianist soloists were Miss Rita Cottell, Miss Hilda Elliott, Miss L. McWha, Miss Mary Crombie, Miss McBryer, Miss J. Andrews, Mr. Latham and Miss Hawkswood. Vocal solos were given by Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Young, and Mrs. Addison gave a violin solo.

The next recital, which will be given about the end of February, will give the junior pupils an opportunity to show their merits.

PROGRESS GOOD IN REVELSTOKE RIDING

Hon. W. H. Sutherland, While in Home Constituency, Inspects Progress of Public Works

Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, returned to Victoria yesterday morning after a two weeks' visit to his home riding of Revelstoke. His trip was taken for the purpose of meeting political friends in the riding and as a species of holiday, as he had been absent from Revelstoke since August last. While there, however, he inspected the progress being made on public works in the constituency, notably the steel highway bridge over the Columbia River, work on which is now progressing well, although at first the contractors, Messrs. Grant Smith & Company, had difficulty with the pier work.

Conditions in the Revelstoke riding, Hon. Dr. Sutherland stated, were generally good, the increasing movement of wheat to the West making that divisional point more active.

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Call a dumb priest—lest any prayer be said—
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The four little daughters of the great white Czar,
Lovely as the wind-flowers of a far northern May;
Sometimes shy and silent—just too old to play—
Seeing all the road of Life as a radiant way;
Tell us, dead man, e'er you pass—tell us, where are they?

The four little daughters of the great white Czar—
What was their crime that their souls were put to flight?
They were only merry maids, dancing in the light
Like the swinging blossoms all of pink and white;
Tell us, dead man, where they went—down the aisles of night?

The four little daughters of the great white Czar.
How could they have harmed you and bound you foot and hand?
They had children's eyes, but brave as any in the land—
Oft perhaps they wondered at their titles long and grand;
Tell us, dead man, why you feared such delicate command?

The four little daughters of the great white Czar—
They are forgotten, as roses when they fall;
And the four sweet names of them none will ever call,
Down a long green garden — or through a castle hall.
Do you dream of them, dead man, underneath your pall?

Lenin is dead.
Take for his covering a flag blood-red—
Fasten a cap of crimson on his head,
Call a dumb priest—lest any prayer be said—
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—Virna Sheard in Toronto Globe.

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VANCOUVER, Feb. 4. — In the police court this morning, Ronald C. Knight, a clerk in the Registry Office at the Court House, was committed for trial on a charge of stealing more than $8,000. Application for bail was made after committal was ordered and this was set at $10,000.

See Kirkham's Grocerteria advertisement, on Page 2

PREFERS THE NEW CITY TO THE OLD

CITIZENS MUST NOW PAY FOR WHAT THEY WANTED

Mayor Hayward Assures Gyros Victoria Will Pull Out on Top—Developments Forecasted

After comparing the Victoria of fifty years ago with the city that it is at the present time, Mayor Hayward told the Gyros yesterday that he believed that they agreed with him that the community had made worthy progress during that space of time, and that if they preferred the Victoria of 1924 they must make up their minds, as all other honest citizens must, that the Victoria of today must be paid for. He spoke optimistically of the city's future, declaring that Victoria was not going bankrupt nor would it have a receiver, but would pull out on top.

President E. V. Finland, who was installed on Saturday night in his post as head of the club, presided over the gathering, which was largely attended. In introducing His Worship the chairman stated that the Gyro Club, as a young men's organization, was "justly proud of our 'young' Mayor." Past President Harold L. Butteris, in presenting retiring President Cuthbert Holmes with a past president's pin, spoke of the club's success under Major Holmes' direction, and lauded his interest in the many movements promoting the welfare of the community.

A feature of the luncheon was the excellent musical programme provided by the Gyro Orchestra, under the conductorship of Gyro Chris. Wade. Hearty applause greeted the musicians' work.

Ancient Victoria

Mayor Hayward drew a mental picture of Victoria of olden times. It was then a town without any paved streets, with no sidewalks, no street cars, only one school (that being the present Boys' Central), with the High School jammed in between the two wings; no Empress Hotel, but mud flats, and no steamships like the C.P.R. boats that today plied between here and other Coast points. There were only four lights then, but when times later became more prosperous the city had a street light every ten blocks.

Victoria today had eighty miles of paved streets, 138 miles of paved sidewalks, and 66 miles of boulevards. There was not a better cluster-lighted city for its size on the Coast than Victoria, nor had any city got as many open spaces and parks, nor as modern sewerage, drainage and water systems, claimed the speaker. The large corporations had confidence in this place. The C.P.R. was now erecting a substantial steamship office, and would shortly build an amusement centre. Banks were building and enlarging premises. The activities of the C.P.R. had stirred up another company, and within a year or two Victoria would probably see developments which would go a long way towards making the city's future secure.

The Mayor said that some folks were of the impression that a city was either a gigantic animal of some kind or else a little bunch of councillors who were trying to squeeze the last dollar out of hard taxpayers. "We, the people living here, are the city. We have asked for these improvements in the past, and as a city we must pay for them."

He referred to the increase in taxes the last two years, outlining the fixed charges that the city had to meet, and declared that taxes would not be higher this year if he could help it.

His Worship complimented the Gyros for their intelligent interest in civic affairs, and the success which the "Get-a-Vote" campaign had proved to be.

TEN CLUBS RECEIVE LICENCES FOR LIQUOR

That Number Likely to Be the Total for Some Time Unless New Clubs Live Up to Regulations

Licences for ten clubs in Victoria, the members of which may keep liquor in their lockers in such premises, have been granted by the Liquor Control Board, it was stated last evening. This is likely to be the full number, for a time at least, to which such licences, issued under the legislation passed at the recent session of the Legislature, will be granted here.

The clubs to which licences have now been issued are the Union and Pacific Clubs, the Colwood, United Service, and Victoria Golf Clubs, the Elks' Club, and the four ex-service organizations.

It may be that one or more additional licences will be issued, but it was stated in authoritative quarters that, if so, it will be some considerable time, and then only to organizations which comply fully with the new regulations in every respect.

NAME ADVISORS FOR STEVENSON MEMORIAL

The following have been appointed to act as an advisory committee in the establishment of a memorial to the late Rev. William Stevenson:

Sir Richard Lake, Miss Sarah Spencer, Miss Clay, Miss Helen Stewart, Mrs. Schofield, Miss Doro Kitto, Miss Lawson, Mr. Staneland, Mrs. John Oliver, Mrs. Bowser, Dr. Ellers, Mr. Clapham, Mrs. Shampeny, Mrs. and Miss Shields, Miss Crease, Mrs. Boyden, Mrs. McLaurin, Mr. Poupard, Mr. Angus Galbraith, Mr. Jamieson, Mr. Pierce, Mr. Pollard, Mr. Joe North, Mr. J. H. Baker, Dr. Wm. Russell, Mr. G. B. McNeal, Mrs. Captain Grant, Mrs. Graves, Mr. S. J. Willis, Superintendent of Education; Mr. H. Charlesworth, secretary of B.C., also Canadian Teachers' Federation; Mr. T. W. Cornett, Rev. R. Connell, Mr. Phil. Smith, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Hollins, Rev. W. P. Freeman, Mr. Ira Dilworth, Mr. Jas. Maynard, Ald. Wm. Marchant, Mr. J. Hosie, Ald. Robert Dewar, Mr. Jos. Kingham, Mr. H. Bishop, Mr. Wm. Ivel, Mr. George Winkler, Mr. Phil Kitly, Mr. Ben Nicholas, Dr. Melbourne Raynor, Mr. A. J. Morley, Mr. Wm. J. Rennie, Mr. John Taylor, Mr. Wm. Leffar, Miss Lottie Bowron, Mr. Jack Adams, Mr. Fred Parfitt, Mr. Mark Parfitt, Mr. Jas. Parfitt, Mayor Reginald Hayward, Mr. F. L. Thomson, Mr. Fred McGregor, Mr. J. A. Warnicker, Mr. Thomas Main, Mr. D. L. McLaurin, Mr. Wilmer Parker, Mr. Arthur Lee, Mr. C. H. Smith, Mr. J. B. Brown, Mr. Leonard Tait, Mr. C. H. Pope, Dr. Lewis Hall.

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PONG YOT DRINKS MIU KWEI LU AND THINGS GO WRONG

Things seemed to be particularly rotten for Pong Yot in the police court yesterday. Somebody was always taking the joy out of life. There was Magistrate Jay, for instance, who insisted that Pong Yot must pay a fine of $25 for being found at two o'clock yesterday morning in an opium den on Chatham Street. Whereas, as Pong Yot explained it, the thing was pure inadvertence and good nature, and might have happened to anybody.

Pong Yot explained. It seemed that Pong Yot had been indulging himself—it being Chinese New Year's—in just a wee droppie of Mui Kwei Lu. Under the influence of that potent distillation, Pong Yot became mellow to all the world, and especially benevolent towards Yip Sing when he remembered that Yip Sing owed him two dollars. So he went down to Yip Sing's place, and while he noticed a smell of opium, and saw Yip Sing there, and did not get his two dollars, he had seen nothing of Yip Sing's opium smoking, as alleged by the police. Furthermore, it was all a case of overflowing benevolence, brought on by a wee droppie of Mui Kwei Lu; and he had only been there ten minutes.

"That was ten minutes too long, and the fine will be $25," decreed the court.

Yip Sing, for his part, pleaded not guilty to the charge of opium smoking, and was remanded until today.

Do You Remember—

'Way back when sand-bagging became rife for a short time in the city, several citizens being struck down on the upper part of Johnson Street and on the Songhees Reserve, and although several arrests were made no convictions ever explained the origin of the outbreak?—A.P.

When the Songhes Reserve question had been settled and the Province had come into possession of the land? And Premier McBride announced through The Colonist on Christmas morning, 1912, that he had a Christmas box for the City of Victoria, to wit, a Johnson Street bridge (not Cormorant, as the present one is), a magnificent conception with an entrance at Store Street, carrying traffic in a straight line at a high level and through a broad avenue straight into Victoria West? And the Premier said the Province needed the bridge to connect with its 110-acre estate across the harbor? What a Christmas present! But who "queered" it?—M.A.B.

When an ex-premier of British Columbia and a prominent Wharf Street merchant had a "set to" on Government Street, opposite the Postoffice, when the merchant and a friend of his, known as "B.C.'s Grand Old Man," stepped on the sidewalk? And the ex-premier attacked the "Grand Old Man" and the merchant came to his friend's assistance and tried to chastise the ex-premier by punching him? And in defence of himself the ex-premier, who was "under the influence," used his umbrella to good effect, the affair lasting for some minutes until friends drew them apart? And this was no sooner ended than two young fellows got fighting over it, one of them being an employee of The Colonist and the other of the Postoffice? (The participants in both affairs have all passed away, as well as many of the spectators. This happened in 1885, in the month of March.)—G.B.

BURGLARS SENTENCED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4.—The men who were responsible for the series of burglaries in Vancouver recently, were this morning sentenced by Magistrate Shaw. Roy Darragh and Charles Wright, who pleaded guilty to twenty-two housebreakings, were given four years each. Pat Conlin and Hugh McGregor, who admitted committing eight burglaries, were given three years each.

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CANON HINCHLIFFE ELECTED PRESIDENT

Will Head Overseas League Again During Year—Annual Meeting Held and Officers Chosen

Canon Joshua Hinchliffe was re-elected president of the Overseas Club at the annual meeting of the society held yesterday afternoon at the Hudson's Bay Company's tearoom. Other officers elected for the ensuing year were Mr. T. R. Ravenhill, vice-president; Mrs. Lambert, secretary; Mrs. Whillans, recording secretary; Mrs. Hodgins and Mr. Cooper, joint treasurers; convener of programme committee, Mrs. Wheatley.

Mrs. Hodgins' report of the activities of the past year showed that the local organization had done good work in the interests of British newcomers, either from the Old Land or other parts of the Empire, living up to the society's aim "to promote loyalty, encourage friendship, and follow out the motto of the League: 'Help one another'." In conclusion Mrs. Hodgins paid a special tribute to Mrs. Lambert for the work she had done in finding homes for newcomers arriving in this part of the Empire.

Mrs. Whillans, the recording secretary, also turned in an interesting report, and the treasurer's statement showed $242.91 receipts from members' dues.

Under new business the meeting heard a suggestion for the appointment of a sick committee, whose duties would be the visiting of sick members.

OBITUARIES

BROWN—The funeral of the late Rev. Thomas Briggs Brown took place yesterday afternoon at 3:30 at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by Rev. W. P. Freeman. Many friends attended and the casket was covered with floral offerings. The hymns sung were "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" and "Forever With the Lord." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. R. McNeill, G. J. Burnett, G. W. Smith, A. E. Taylor, J. H. Warnicker and Dr. William Russell. The remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay cemetery in the family plot.

DENBY—The remains of the late Mr. John Denby, who passed away in this city last Friday, are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was a member of Victoria Acric No. 12, F.O. of E., under whose auspices the funeral will be conducted.

McKINNON—The funeral of the late Mr. Archibald McKinnon, who passed away last Saturday, took place yesterday morning, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9:50 o'clock. Ten minutes later mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father A. B. Wood, and the remains were forwarded to Nanaimo, where interment will be made in the family plot. The pallbearers were Messrs. P. S. Pagan, J. Evans, J. Adams, J. O'Connell, sr., J. O'Connell, jr., and F. C. Gallins.

MURRANT—The death took place at an early hour Sunday morning at the residence of her son, R. A. Murrant, of 803 Craigflower Road, of Mrs. Susan Murrant, aged eighty years. She was born in St. John's, Newfoundland, and had been a resident of this city for the past thirty-six years, formerly residing at 927 Nicholson Street. She is survived by her son at the above address; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Fraser and Mrs. Gordon Spragge; also five grandchildren. The funeral will take place on Wednesday, February 6, at 2:30 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery.

PELLETIER — The death took place last evening at her home, 738 Fisgard Street, of Mrs. Clara Pelletier, aged 85 years, and a resident of this city for the past sixty-five years. The late Mrs. Pelletier is survived by nephews, nieces and a sister-in-law, of this city. The time of the funeral will be announced later.

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VICTORIA

MISS JULIA HIGGINS DIES AT GANGES

Mrs. Julia Higgins, who passed away at Ganges Hospital on January 27, was a highly respected resident of Hope Bay, Pender Island, where she had lived for the past thirteen years.

As Miss Julia Hodson the deceased was well known in Keighley, Yorkshire, where for many years she was principal of a large primary school, winning the love and respect of the pupils in her charge, as well as of her assistant teachers. During the war Miss Hodson taught a year at Albert Head.

Besides her husband, the deceased lady leaves two brothers, Evan, of Pender Island, and John, of Chilliwack; two nieces, and four nephews, as well as a large circle of friends to mourn her loss.

The little Anglican church at Port Washington was crowded as the solemn service was read by Rev. Mr. Porter. Many beautiful flowers covered the casket. Mrs. Davenport played the accompaniments of the hymns. Neighbors and friends followed the procession of mourners to the hillside cemetery, where the body was laid at rest.

MANILA MARU DUE

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner, Manila Maru, is scheduled to reach quarantine at 9 o'clock this morning. She will dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers at about 10:30 o'clock to discharge mail and freight. Few passengers will disembark here.

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City and District

China Mission—Mrs. Taylor, of the China Inland Mission, will speak today in the St. Paul's parish rooms, Esquimalt, at 3 o'clock.

Saanich Parent-Teachers' Association—A meeting will be held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms of all delegates to the Saanich Central P.-T. A. on Thursday, February 24, at eight o'clock.

Snowdrops Are Here—Into The Colonist office has come a snowdrop in an envelope as further evidence that Spring is here. The flower was picked on Fairfield Road on January 30 by Mr. Kenneth Patrick.

Esquimalt Board—A special meeting of the Esquimalt School Board will be held tonight, at 8 o'clock, in Lampson Street School. The request made by the Esquimalt High School teachers for increase in salaries will be among the matters dealt with.

Canadian Legion—The regular business session of the Victoria Post of the Canadian Legion will take place tomorrow night, at 8 o'clock, in the club premises, 1406 Douglas Street All members are asked to be present to consider the important business that will be transacted.

Veterans' Alliance—Several matters of importance will be discussed at the meeting of the Vancouver Island branch of the Dominion Veterans' Alliance, which will take place tonight, at 8 o'clock, in the Veterans of France rooms, Douglas Street.

Minister Returns—Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, returned yesterday morning from a week-end trip to the Mainland, where he attended a meeting of the Chilliwack branch of the B.C. Berry Growers' organization and discussed problems of the growers.

Invite Local Council—Members of the Local Council of Women are invited to an exhibition of needlework to be held in the Girls' Central School from 3 to 5 o'clock this afternoon, and in the Domestic Science Building of the Boys' Central tomorrow afternoon.

Wants to Be Citizen — William Mathias Erikson, painter, of Mary Street, personally appeared before Judge Lampman yesterday in support of his application for naturalization as a British subject. Mr. Erikson said he was born in Finland, and came here in 1911. The application will go to Ottawa for final action.

G.W.V.A. Meeting — The general meeting of the local command of the Great War Veterans' Association will take place tonight at 8 o'clock in the clubrooms, corner of Johnson and Broad Streets. The election of officers for the present year will be held and a good attendance of members is requested.

Friendly Help—The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held this (Tuesday) morning, at 10:30 o'clock, in rooms (upstairs), Market Building. All members are earnestly requested to be present, as the election of officers, and other business adjourned from the annual meeting, has to be attended to.

Kiwanis Luncheon—Mr. Joseph Patrick, vice-president of the Canadian Club, and head of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, will address members of the Kiwanis Club today noon in the Dominion Hotel, on "Tourist Trade and Its Possibilities." The vocalist will be Mrs. Harold Campbell.

Victoria's Fair Dates—According to the decision of the North Pacific Fairs' Association at a meeting held at Seattle on Friday, Victoria's annual fair will be held this year from September 1 to 6. These dates are the same as those of last year. The New Westminster fair will be held from September 8 to 14. Vancouver's fair will have the dates August 9 to 16.

Esquimalt Liberals—The regular monthly meeting of the Esquimalt Liberal Association takes place tonight. In order to finish business in good time for the public meeting, at which Hon. John Oliver will be the speaker, the gathering has been called for 7:30 o'clock, at the Rex Theatre. The public meeting will commence at 8:15 o'clock.

Guild of Health—The regular meeting of the Guild of Health will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Cathedral Schoolroom. The address will be given by the Rev. E. C. R. Pritchard. Mr. Pritchard will be at 1126 Richardson Street on Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock for consultation. The meetings of the Guild are open to all interested in the teaching and work of spiritual healing.

Janitors Want Increase—The question of an increase in the rate of pay in force for janitors of public schools in Victoria, was introduced at last night's meeting of the School Board, by the reading of an application for an advance from the Janitors' Association. A special committee composed of Trustees Peden, Smith and Litchfield was formed and instructed to investigate the entire question and report to the board.

Band Plays for Tourists—The main features of the weekly concert to be held at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow night for the city's Winter visitors will be supplied by the Shriners' Band. The following programme will be given: March, "On the Square"; overture, "Lustspeil"; selection, "Echoes of the Opera"; trombone solo, "Romance"; waltz, "Song of Love"; cornet solo, "I'll Wear a White Flower for You"; and selection, "Three Merry Knights." The mayor and aldermen of Victoria, and the reeves and councillors of the adjacent municipalities, who have been invited to the entertainment, are expected to be well represented.

Chamber-Rotary Lunch — The Chamber of Commerce's drive for increased membership will concentrate on the ranks of the Rotary Club on Thursday, when the two bodies will hold a joint luncheon, at which speakers for the Chamber will outline its work and make a plea for Rotarian support. Members of the Chamber are requested by the secretary to make known in advance their intentions to attend the function, in order that reservations may be made for them. The finances and membership of the Chamber were considered at some length by the board of directors yesterday at the usual weekly luncheon meeting.

Under the Clock

City Hall Activities in Brief

Two weeks ago the secretary of the Finance Committee wrote to the Deputy Minister of Finance, asking for particulars of the amount withheld from the city's share of the liquor profits for liquor law enforcement. No answer was received, and a few days ago a similar request was sent to Attorney-General Manson. Yesterday a reply was received to the effect that the matter had been referred to the Deputy Minister of Finance.

In a letter to the City Council last night, Brigadier-General R. P. Clark, chairman of the Memorial Avenue Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, asked for an indication of what the city was willing to contribute toward the Memorial Avenue project. The matter was referred to the Estimates Committee.

Once more the Inner Harbor Association asked the Council to protect the Johnson Street Bridge from damage through collision with vessels. The City Engineer will report on the matter, over which there has been considerable discussion in the past.

Instructions were given to City Comptroller Macdonald to dispose of the thousand shares of stock which were assigned to the city by the late Mr. Arthur Dupont, when he entered the Old Men's Home.

Aldermanic Appointments

Alderman Harvey was appointed by the Council as the city's representative on the Cemetery Board for a three-year term, to replace Mayor Hayward, who refused to fill the position for a further period owing to pressure of other business, in spite of the requests of his colleagues. Alderman Christie was chosen to sit on the board for the remaining two years of the late Mr. R. W. Perry's three-year term.

The Fire Wardens' Committee recommended that the present agreement with Oak Bay in regard to fire protection from the Duchess Street firehall be renewed for another year, the municipality to pay $6,500 as under the present arrangement. Alderman Todd pointed out that if the firemen were given an increase in salary the cost of maintaining the firehall would rise, in which case Oak Bay should pay more. It was decided to delay action in the matter of renewing the agreement until the question of firemen's salaries had been disposed of.

Get Vacant Land

A by-law for the acquiring of the vacant property at the rear of the City Hall was introduced last night. The land is owned by Messrs. Thomas H., David and John Leeming, and under the terms of the by-law, the city would cancel arrears to the extent of $14,402.27 on this and some Fort Street property owned by the same parties, and would convey to the Leemings reverted lands of a list value of $4,000, thus making the purchase price for the land $18,402.27. Action on the by-law was delayed in order that the aldermen might have an opportunity to peruse it. The measure would have to be passed by the ratepayers before becoming effective.

Buy More Bonds

The purchase of the following securities from the Royal Financial Corporation for sinking fund investment was authorized:

£600 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds, due January 21, 1937, at 84.13 and accrued interest.

£200 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds due November 20, 1940, at 81.18 and accrued interest.

£200 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds due November 26, 1935, at 84.98 and accrued interest.

£600 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds due January 21, 1933, at 87.84 and accrued interest.

The yield to the city is 5.75 per cent.

The following exchange of securities with the Royal Financial Corporation was authorized:

For $38,000 C.N.O.R. 3 1-2 per cent bonds due May 19, 1961, now held by the city, at 72.40 and cash payment of $201, the city to accept $35,000 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds due November 20, 1956, at 79.18. The profit to the city on maturity will be $7,831.96, or an annual gain of $95.55.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 4, 1924.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains low over Northern British Columbia, and rainy, mild weather is general on the Pacific Slope. Zero temperatures prevail in Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	42	50
Vancouver	42	50
Kamloops	34	42
Barkerville	18	28
Prince Rupert	42	50
Atlin	8	16
Estevan	44	58
Calgary, Alta.	8	40
Winnipeg, Man.	20b	4b
Portland, Ore.	44	58
San Francisco, Cal.	48	64
Seattle, Wash.	44	54
Penticton	34	42
Vernon	31	..
Grand Forks	30	46
Nelson	30	35
Kaslo	33	38
Cranbrook	27	36
Edmonton, Alta.	8	30
Prince Albert, Sask.	0	18

SUNDAY

Maximum	45
Minimum	41
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	36

Bright sunshine, 6 hours, 54 minutes.
Rain, .62 inch.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

MONDAY

Maximum	50
Minimum	43
Average	46
Minimum on the grass	42

Rain, .48 inch.
General state of the weather, rain.

THREE CONVICTS ESCAPE

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 4.—Three convicts sawed out of their cells in the Missouri Penitentiary here early today, killed a guard by crushing his skull, took his gun, climbed over the southeast wall with the aid of a ladder, gave battle to a guard from the wall and completely escaped.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 4.—All three of the convicts who escaped from the Missouri penitentiary early today were shot and killed shortly after eight o'clock tonight by prison guards who chased them from a barn about two and a half miles east of the city, according to reports received at the prison. The men fled from the barn and were riddled with bullets fired by the guards as they ran across an open field.

DIED OF BLOOD POISONING

SASKATOON, Feb. 4.—Ten days ago Helen Thompson, 20, a student nurse at St. Paul's Hospital here, pricked a cold sore on her face with a pin. Saturday afternoon she died of blood poisoning.

GONG HAI FAT TOI; HAPPY NEW YEAR

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open windows of cafes and other gathering places came the weird clash of cymbals and the steady throbbing of drums, mixed with the quavering minor melody of some Oriental flute player. To visitors the sounds were not music, but to the Chinese they were indeed—the kind of music which strives after the definition of mystery, and itself gets all tangled in the attempt, to end in a loose thread.

Buildings were not flamboyantly decorated with colorful, ornate banners, as they are in China, but in the privacy of a few homes the decorative scheme was carried out. China lilies were placed around the rooms, special pictures were hung and rare embroideries and lace looped on the walls.

Chinatown is still, to the newly-arrived visitors from the East, a region of more or less mystery, and they experience a strange thrill from the passage of Fan Tan and Theatre Alleys. Neither thoroughfare amounts to more than a crooked little street a block long, but for this week at least they were dressed in brighter garb than usual and some of their inscrutable urbanity has been discarded. For Sun Ning has come again.

"Gong hai fat toi."

MINISTER OUTLINES IMMIGRATION SCHEME

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chartered bank, who will forward them to officials of the Dominion Immigration and Colonization Department at Ottawa, or arrange with authorities in Great Britain to select the immigrant and fill in his name as the nominee.

Repayment of Loans

Loans made to single men and women are repayable in quarterly instalments and must be repaid within one year from landing in Canada. Loans made to married men will be repayable in semi-annual instalments and must be completely repaid within three years of arrival in Canada. Only persons who have been approved by officials of the Dominion Government and Imperial Government will be eligible for assistance, either by loan or grant. The cost of assistance will be borne equally by the Dominion Government and Imperial Government, but each government will bear its own expenses in administering its share of the undertaking.

"In addition to this agreement with the Imperial Government for selection and assistance of immigrants," said Mr. Robb, "we are providing for their reception and settlement in Canada along lines most likely to encourage their becoming successful candidates.

"This will be accomplished by means of a land settlement branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization, whose duty it will be to see that new settlers are directed to lands where they can have the best opportunities of success and to safeguard them from exploitation in the purchase price of farms which they may buy.

"The land settlement branch will be assisted in each of its districts by advisory settlement boards, composed of outstanding mortgage and loan men and agriculturists, who will pass on the suitability of land and the fairness of purchase price of all privately owned land listed with the branch. They will advise the departmental official on the distribution of settlement; that is, having regard to local problems, on the number and type of settler which can be most readily assimilated in any particular locality. Through their influence and initiation it is hoped to start community welfare associations in those districts where new settlers are coming in in considerable numbers."

The minister took occasion to point out that apparently a misunderstanding had arisen out of recent press reports concerning a preference of 20 per cent in immigration rates from Great Britain to Canada.

"The impression appears to have gone abroad," said Mr. Robb, "that the Government is paying this 20 per cent. That is an entirely mistaken impression. After numerous conferences with the steamship companies my department was able to prevail upon them to grant a preferential rate as above stated, but without expense to the Government."

SCHOOL OPERATION COSTS INCREASED

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interest and sinking fund charges amounting to $94,000, making a total of $560,381. From this amount, however, must be subtracted the sum of $150,827, representing credits due the School Board, leaving a net estimated sum required of $409,554.

Expenditure Summary

	Expended 1923	Estimated 1924
Janitors' salaries	$ 28,272.55	$ 28,489
Janitors' supplies	2,524.58	2,500
Fuel, light, power, gas water	20,852.86	22,000
Repairs, grounds upkeep and replacements, wages	16,218.85	18,386
Furniture and apparatus	2,486.17	2,785
Reference books	145.25	200
Educational supplies	5,142.06	4,500
Insurance	1,948.25	2,500
Sundry services	6,229.40	6,200
Manual training	958.18	989
Domestic science	831.86	800
Technical	1,650.71	1,500
Medical and dental	373.67	250
Night schools	604.92	600
Office	1,162.78	1,156
Totals	$ 89,320.22	$ 92,860
Teachers' salaries	330,413.65	342,521
Salaries (night school)	4,001.50	4,500
Office and sundry	23,468.80	24,500
Total expenditure	$447,294.17	$466,381
Interest and sinking fund		94,000
Grand total		$560,381

Credits Payable

Provincial Government per capita grant		$ 88,500
Provincial Government grant (night schools)		5,500
Dominion Government grant		2,375
Pupils' fees (College)	$10,[illegible]	
(High School)	2,560	
(Night School)	1,000	
		$ 15,127
Fees, outside municipalities (Saanich and Esquimalt)		14,100
Sale of material manufactured		975
Miscellaneous receipts		650
		$127,827
Liquor profits, estimated on 1923 basis		23,000
Total credits		$150,827

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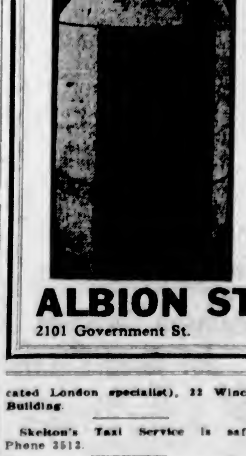

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BOUND TO MAKE ENTENTE EFFECTIVE

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British and French Premiers Felicitate Each Other on Good Works and Hope for Best

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The correspondence which passed recently between Ramsay MacDonald, the British Prime Minister, and M. Poincare, the French Premier, following a letter from Mr. MacDonald to M. Poincare advancing the hope that France might adopt a conciliatory spirit toward Great Britain, and that the two countries might resume cordial relations, was made public here today.

Mr. MacDonald's letter, dated January 26, follows:

"My Dear Mr. Premier:

"Our two countries have gone, through such trying times side by side and made such sacrifices together that, coming into office, I address you a personal note, not only to inform you of the change, but to send you my greetings and good wishes.

"I grieve to find so many unsettled points are causing us trouble and concern, and I assure you it will be my daily endeavor to help settle them to our mutual benefit. You have your public opinion, and I have mine; you have your national interests to conserve and protect, and I have mine. Sometimes at first they may me in conflict, but I am sure by the strenuous action of goodwill these conflicts can be settled and policies devised in pursuit of which France and Great Britain can remain in hearty co-operation."

"We can be frank without being hostile, and can defend our countries' interests without enmity. Thus the entente will be much more than a nominal thing, and France and Great Britain can advance together to establish peace and security in Europe.

"Pray accept these assurances of my sentiments of personal respect and believe me to be,

"Your obedient servant,

"RAMSAY MACDONALD."

M. Poincare's reply, dated January 29, said:

"My Dear Prime Minister:

"I am much touched by your kind letter, which you have been good enough to write me, informing me that you have entered on your functions, and to send me your personal good wishes. I hope with all my heart that your efforts for the welfare of your country will be crowned with success.

"The bonds which unite it to my own have been knit together, as you recall, in times of common trial and sacrifice; you may be sure that the memory of those times is ever present in my mind, as to yours. I also regret that several questions of importance to our countries have not yet been settled. Like you, I will do my utmost to solve them by friendly agreement and to our mutual advantage.

"If we have to take into account public opinion in our respective countries; if we both have to safeguard our national interests, I am confident, that in applying each in his own sphere the vigorous action and goodwill of which you speak to the settlement of problems arising between us, we shall solve them in such a manner as to maintain between Great Britain and France a policy of co-operation essential to our two countries and to the tranquillity of the world.

"My own frankness shall be no less than yours, and if, in defence of French interests, I show the same fervor as you in defence of British interests, you may be sure that nothing will ever change the cordiality of my deep-rooted feelings.

"It is impossible that animated, as both are, by such sentiments we should fail to make the entente effective and fruitful of results which it can and ought to bear in order that Europe as a whole should find once more, peace, security and freedom to work.

"I beg you to accept my assurances, etc., etc.

"POINCARE."

ALBERTA ACT TO PERMIT TREATING

Proposed Change in Liquor Bill Will Allow Owner of Permit to "Take One" With His Friend

EDMONTON, Feb. 4.—No very important amendment is provided in the second draft of the proposed Liquor Act, a few copies of which are available. The principal change provided is that it will not be regarded as a misdemeanor under the act for any person, having in his possession liquor legally obtained by him on his own permit, to offer a drink to anybody else, either in his own home, or in any hotel where one is residing as a duly registered guest.

The original draft of the act prohibited any one from "giving" liquor. The holder of a permit could "use" the liquor himself, but could not "give" any away. This made it a crime for a permit holder to offer a friend a drink of liquor, even in his own home.

A new clause, apparently aimed at the bootlegger, has been included in penalties and procedure, under which several offences may be charged against the same person in one and the same information.

DYSPEPSIA WAS SO BAD Could Hardly Eat Anything

Mrs. C. Stone, Nanticoke, Ont., writes: "Some time ago I had a very serious attack of dyspepsia, and was also troubled with gas on my stomach. I could hardly eat anything, and very often had pains after meals. I had used different medicines, but they didn't seem to do me any good. At last I happened to run on the track of Burdock Blood Bitters, and, after using it for a short time I felt a lot better. I continued its use until I was completely relieved, and now I am ready to recommend it to anyone troubled as I was."

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THE BARGAIN DE-BASEMENT

—From The Passing Show.

BRITISH OPINIONS OF EX-PRESIDENT

Tragedy of Woodrow Wilson's Life Was His Failure to Carry Through the Plans He Formed for a Wise and Generous Peace, Says London Paper—At Versailles Lost Touch With Main Current of American Thought

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The London papers comment lengthily on the passing of Woodrow Wilson.

The Times says: "The dizziness of the height to which he rose, and the completeness of his collapse; the enthusiasm of his followers and the scorn of his opponents; the popularity and esteem of the millions which were his in 1918, and the oblivion that shrouded the last years of his life, make it yet impossible to estimate his true place in history.

"Yet with all his faults, he was a great American who played for a brief space a greater part in the world's affairs than any of his predecessors. He may not be reckoned among her greatest statesmen, he was rather a famous professor of politics who for a while had the world in his classroom."

The Westminster Gazzette says: "To this side of the world, battling for his existence, Woodrow Wilson through later years seemed timid and uncertain. Opinions possibly will always be divided as to whether he did right to attend the Versailles conference.

"With all his driving force, with all his enthusiasm for clear-cut principles and for a settlement that would cause war to cease in the world, he was ill-equipped for a day to day struggle with the trained diplomats of Europe. He left the conference a disillusioned man, to discover that he had lost touch with the main current of American thought."

The Daily Herald says: "It is not a tragedy that he is dead; it is a relief. The tragedy was that he failed disastrously to carry through the plans he formed for a wise and generous peace. He might have been one of the greatest figures in history.

"His record belongs to the pathetic class of those who might have been."

Under the caption, "A Miltonic Figure," The Morning Post says:

"Woodrow Wilson was beyond all doubt a great American—very American in his tenacity, his will, his idealism, his respect for law, and if we may say so, very American also in a stern confidence in his own powers.

"His end was tragic, but his dreams were splendid, and he takes a sure place among the illustrious men who have moulded the destinies of America."

The Daily News says: "We believe that when the bitter controversies of the war period have passed into history, the judgment of history will not altogether deny his greatness."

GOOSE THAT TOOK ITS WHISKY NEAT DIES IN ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 4.—Jakey, a goose, who took his whisky straight and washed it down with a swig of beer in pre-prohibition days, is dead. He was eighteen years old, and was owned by John Keller, former saloon proprietor.

In the old days a round of drinks wasn't complete unless Jakey was in on the set-up.

When Jakey had enough he would go to the shed and sleep it off. Thousands of persons, it is said, have come to St. Louis just to buy Jakey a drink.

SAYS CHURCH PEOPLE MAY TRULY BE PIKERS

Vancouver Clergyman Says Attorney-General May Have Been Right in So Classifying Clergymen

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4.—Replying to remarks of Attorney-General A. M. Manson before the Ministerial Association recently, Col. the Rev. G. O. Fallis last night told a congregation at Canadian Memorial Methodist Church that for the ministers to have helped to prevent everyone importing liquor in the province save the government itself, they would have been parties to securing a monopoly in British Columbia; and would have been parties to making laws to guard the liquor business when they did not want it at all.

They would have been fortifying a moderation law which they energetically strove to defeat, said the speaker, and might have aided in bringing about conditions to make the liquor law tolerable, and hence hang it around the neck of the province for years to come. The ministers wanted prohibition back and properly enforced.

Might Be Called "Pikers"

Nevertheless, asserted Mr. Fallis, the ministry, laymen and churches of the province "might be called just now 'pikers' in the common meaning of the word as used by the man on the street." Prohibition had become a sleeping issue in the churches, the spirit of fight had disappeared. Some time ago thousands of dollars could be raised in a few days to back up prohibition conditions, but now it was difficult to raise enough funds to operate an office. "Possibly the Attorney-General spoke truer than he knew when he said 'You are a bunch of pikers.' We have, through discouragement, forsaken a cause which, next to world peace, is the world's greatest problem."

Mountain Park Coal Companies Close Down

SASKATOON, Feb. 4.—From present indications the mining camp in the Mountain Park coal district will disintegrate within the next few days, a special dispatch from Mountain Park to The Saskatoon Star states.

The Luscar, Cadomin and Mountain Park coal companies are reducing their tonnage to less than one-half of capacity, after only two weeks of full run, and over five hundred men in the district are expected to be laid off shortly. They and their families are likely to leave the district. The hotel at Mountain Park is closing.

WHOLESALE POISONING

ALBANY, Ore, Feb. 4.—Five persons are dead and six other members of the same family are seriously ill here from poisoning. The victims, it is learned, did not partake of the same meals at the same place nor of provisions purchased at the same store.

CHINESE DOPE RING IS WELL ORGANIZED

Empress of Russia's Crew Prevent Seizure of Drugs on Asia by Efficient Intelligence Service

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4—That following a sensational raid on the Empress of Russia, when 25 pounds of cocaine and morphine were found concealed in an aperture behind a specially constructed sliding panel in the saloon of the big liner, members of the Chinese crew were able to communicate with their confreres on the Empress of Asia, now in port, and that in consequence a big consignment of drugs intended to be smuggled ashore here was landed in Kobe, is the information just received in Vancouver.

The information came during a search of the Empress of Asia here Thursday, when for several hours customs officers combed the big liner from stem to stern while the Chinese crew was rounded up for identification and checking.

The shipment seized on the Russia was done up in one and two-pound packages and was the largest seizure ever made in this port. Its value ran into six figures.

A suspicious customs officer, who noticed a slight difference in the painting of the panel from the other panels in the saloon was responsible for the seizure, which was made during the investigation into the activities of the R. C. M. P. Narcotic Squad here.

Warning Issued as to Insulin Preparations

MONTREAL, Feb. 4. — Although the University of Toronto is acting as trustee for insulin patents to prevent commercialization of the discovery and misuse by the medically ignorant, several manufacturers are trying to foist upon the public valueless preparations, with names similar to insulin, warned Dr. J. J. R. McLeod, of Toronto, in an address here last night.

Bandits Get Away With $15,000

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 4.—Five bandits held up and robbed three employees of Pinkelstein and Reuben, theatrical interests, of cash estimated at $15,000.

HELPING THE SICK THROUGH THE WINTER

Winter weather is serious weather, especially to the aged, ailing or the unfit. An undertoned system needs more than the ordinary stimulation to make life bearable when the thermometer hovers around zero.

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These Coats are shown in straight line and wrap-around models, with raglan and set-in sleeves, notch as well as soft crushable collars. Choice of fancy checks and stripes, in a nice shade of camel. Sizes 16 to 40. Price **$17.95**

New Spring Utility Coats for Stout Women

Smart Tailored Coats in grey and fawn invisible check covert cloth. Made in raglan style with trench back, all-round belt and two-way collar, novelty pockets, shoulder lined with two-tone serge silk, seams all bound. Price..... **$35.00**

—2nd Floor

Our Restaurant Service Is Unsurpassed

In addition to our special course luncheon at 50c, our menus now include ready dishes of an appetizing nature at prices from 15c up.

Breakfasts from 9 to 11.
Luncheon, 11:30 to 2:30.
Afternoon Teas, 3 to 6 p.m.

New Season's Canned and Evaporated Fruits

Libby's or Del Monte Sliced Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2 tin ..... **27½¢**
Libby's or Del Monte Sliced Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2½ tin ..... **35¢**
Libby's or Del Monte Bartlett Pears, No. 2½ tin, **40¢**
Libby's or Del Monte Bartlett Pears, No. 2 tin..... **30¢**
Del Monte Melba Halves Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2½ tin ..... **40¢**
Extra Choice Quality California White Cooking Figs, per lb. ..... **15¢**
Star and Crescent Brand Extra Choice Black Figs, per lb. ..... **17½¢**
Rose Brand Choice California Apricots, per lb., **20¢**
Oro Brand Practically Peeled Yellow Peaches, per lb., ... **17½¢**
Santa Clara Valley Californian Prunes, sizes 60-70; lb. ..... **15¢**
5-lb. package ..... **70¢**

—Lower Main Floor

Special Low Prices on Women's Seasonable Knit Underwear

Bloomers
Fleece-Lined Knit Cotton Bloomers, in navy, saxe and cream; sizes 36 to 40. Price ..... **98¢**

Vests, Drawers and Bloomers
Medium weight knit cotton; vests with low neck and shoulder straps, V-neck with short or long sleeves. Drawers knee or ankle length; open or closed styles. Bloomers with elastic at waist and knee. Per garment **$1.50**

Bloomers
Spring weight garments, full cut with gusset, elastic at waist and knee; in mauve, blue, rose, flame, nude and black. Price, per pair **$1.75**

Wool Abdominal Bands
Sizes 36 to 42. Price, **$1.75**

Wool Mixture Vests
With low neck and shoulder straps, V-neck with short or long sleeves; sizes 34 to 40. Price..... **$1.95**

Drawers to Match Vests
Knee or ankle length, closed or open styles, buttoned waistband; sizes 34 to 40. Price **$1.95**

Wool Vests
Pure Wool Vests, with low neck and strap shoulders, also V-neck with elbow or long sleeves; sizes 36 to 40. Price **$3.50**

Drawers to Match Vests
Open or closed styles; knee length; sizes 36 to 40. Price **$3.50**

Extra Large Size Vests
Large roomy garments for the stout figure; medium weight knit cotton, V-neck, with short or long sleeves. Price **$1.75**

Extra Large Size Drawers
Pure Wool Drawers, ankle length, open style. Priced at **$3.50**

Extra Large Size Combinations
With V-neck, elbow or long sleeves, ankle length. Price **$2.75**

—2nd Floor

"Estado" Lemon Cleansing Cream

This combined cleansing, healing and beautifying cream is free from animal fats and therefore does not dry the skin but is absorbed as a skin tissue builder. Will neither grow rancid nor dry out. In generous size jars at..... **65¢** and **$1.00**

—Drugs, Main Floor

Far Beyond Expectations

"It has proved itself far beyond my fondest expectations," said a recent buyer of a Hoover. "I have been in possession of other sweepers for twenty years supposed to be and recommended to be the best on the market, but none to equal the Hoover Suction Sweeper."

We will gladly send our Hoover representative and have him demonstrate this wonderful labor-saving machine in your own home, show you how thoroughly your carpets may be cleaned with little or no exertion.

The Hoover is quite moderate in price, and may be secured by a small initial payment with balance payable in small monthly installments.

Hudson's Bay "Factor" Brand Overalls

Made for Hard Service

Exceptionally good work garments, designed and made expressly for Hudson's Bay Company. Generously cut to give plenty of room for freedom of action. Double stitched throughout, practically rip proof.

Bib Overalls
In black denim or blue and white stripe stifel cloth of the heaviest grade; sizes 32 to 44. Price **$2.25**
Same as above, in plain blue only; sizes 32 to 44. Price **$2.50**

Coat Smocks to Match Overalls
In black denim or blue and white stripe stifel cloth; sizes 32 to 44. Price **$2.25**
Same as above in plain blue only; sizes 32 to 44. Price **$2.50**

Khaki Drill Combination Overalls
The best designed, best made, best wearing coverall in Canada for the artisan, the mechanic, the farmer and for all purposes; sizes 36 to 46. Price **$3.50**

Black Denim Pants
Well made and durable; sizes 32 to 44. Price, per pair **$2.25**

—Main Floor

Useful Household Helps

Household Stepladders
Light, strong and durable, in three sizes.
4-ft. Stepladders, priced at **$1.75**
5-ft. Stepladders, priced at **$2.25**
6-ft. Stepladders, priced at **$2.75**

Pastry Boards
Mixing Boards made of 3-ply veneer, in two sizes.
Size 16 by 22, price... **75¢**
Size 18 by 24, price ... **80¢**

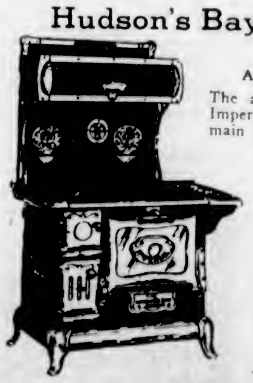
Universal Bread Makers
Can be successfully used with any kind of bread flour. Made in two sizes.
4-Loaf size, price ... **$4.00**
8-Loaf size, price ... **$5.25**

Folding Screen Clothes Dryers
Made in screen shape, in three folds; will give 27 feet of drying space, and can be folded up to put behind a door when not in use. Price **$2.25**

—Lower Main Floor

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Ranges

Are Absolutely Reliable



The absolute reliability of the Imperial Range is one of the main factors in its ever increasing popularity. Built from the highest grade materials by men of skill and experience, it gives perfect satisfaction in baking and heating with a minimum use of fuel.

16-Inch-Oven Ranges **$59.00**

18-Inch-Oven Ranges for **$64.00**

$5.00 extra for cup water front.

—Lower Main Floor

New Spring Shirtings and Ginghams

Start your Spring sewing now and choose from these new crisp wash fabrics.

Woven Stripe Shirtings
In neat stripes, fast colors; 32 inches wide. Per yard.... **59¢**

Duro Oxford Shirtings
In neat stripes and excellent color combinations; 28 inches wide. Per yard, **50¢**

Striped Shirtings
A wonderful offering in Striped Shirtings at a low price; English made, and shown in many neat stripes; 32 inches wide. Per yard ..... **35¢**

New English Ginghams and Chambrays
In neat checks and plaid effects; also in self colors; 26 inches wide. Per yard, **25¢**

—Main Floor

The Famous South African Field Boots for Boys

Made by one of the best known English shoe manufacturers with a reputation for turning out shoes of the most dependable kind. Constructed entirely from leather, full leather lined, bellows tongue, heavy double soles. Ideal service boots for boys.

Sizes 11 to 1½. Priced at **$4.00**
Sizes 2 to 5½. Priced at **$4.50**

—Main Floor

"Wearesista" Black Ribbed Cashmere Hose for Boys and Girls

This is the hose that will stand the scuffing of sturdy active children. The Diamond Knee ensures double wear at the point where the greatest strain comes. "Wearesista" are all pure wool, genuine English Cashmere Hose, knit with a strong broad rib with a narrower rib top which forms a natural elastic grip.

Sizes 6½ and 7. Priced at ..... **90¢**
Sizes 7½ and 8. Priced at **$1.00**
Sizes 8½ to 9½. Priced at **$1.25**
Sizes 10 and 10½. Priced at **$1.35**
Size 11. Price..... **$1.50**

—Main Floor

Hudson's Bay Company.

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Social Events

Tea-Hour Hostess

Mrs. A. E. Todd entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at her home on Linden Avenue, following the dramalogue held at the New Thought Temple. The drawing-room and tea table were charmingly decorated with daffodils, stocks and Spring flowers. The guests included Mrs. Macdonald, Miss Agnew, Mrs. George Deane, Miss B. S. Heisterman, Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Mrs. L. A. Heisterman, Miss Heisterman, Mrs. C. S. Todd, Mrs. Andrew Wright, Miss Watson, Mrs. Winsby, Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, Mrs. M. B. Hall; Miss Campbell, of Seattle; Mrs. Bowser, Mrs. Adams Beck, Mrs. F. W. Jones, Miss "Tinker" Jones, Mrs. H. R. Beavan, Mrs. Shallcross, Mrs. Lennox, Mrs. Bechtel, Mrs. Douglas Hunter, Mrs. Gore, Mrs. Seatle, Mrs. B. R. Ker, Mrs. Robert Baird, Mrs. H. A. Ross, Mrs. Pooley, Miss Pooley, Mrs. Woolwine, Mrs. E. D. Todd, Mrs. J. H. Todd, Miss Wigley, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Leckie, Miss Hall, Mrs. Rhodes, Miss Macdonald, Miss Helen Macdonald, Mrs. B. H. Drake, Mrs. MacHaffie, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Matson, Miss Matson, Miss Irving, Mrs. Flumerfelt, Mrs. W. Todd, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. E. E. Blackwood, Mrs. Payne.

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Pupils' Recital

The pupils of Miss E. Barfoot, L.R.A.M., and her sister, Mrs. Rothwell, gave a recital at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, on Friday, January 25, which was attended by a large and appreciative audience. All pupils who took part in the last recital showed a very marked improvement in their playing. The programme was varied, with harp solo by Miss Barfoot, and violin, harp and crystels by Misses K. and E. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Rothwell. The following pupils took part in piano solos, trios, quartettes and violin solos: Piano, L. Fisher, D. Rawlins, G. Rippingale, K. Baker, B. Summers, G. Downes, D. Morrow, V. Greenwood, M. Fisher, G. Mitchell, A. Baker, D. McCullough, D. Armour (violin solo), Hewitt Fowler, F. Hayward, D. McConnan, R. Symons, N. Symons, L. Cartwright, A. Powell, M. Cartwright (violin solo), K. Shaw, E. Shaw, F. Rippingale, D. Bradshaw, R. Woodley, O. Baker, N. McCullough, A. Fisher, E. Clark, N. Bradshaw, Mrs. B. McMaster.

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W. I. "at Home"

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent on Friday when the directors of the Victoria W.I. were "at home" to the retiring officers, members and intending members. A large number of members and friends attended and were welcomed by the president, Mrs. Peden. The following ladies kindly contributed musical numbers: Mrs. Geo. Deaville, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. J. V. Meston, and the Misses Cathcart and Anderson, whose pianoforte duet was much enjoyed. A very enjoyable guessing contest was won by Mrs. Geo. Deaville, first, and Mrs. Raven, second. Delicious refreshments were then served and the singing of the National Anthem brought a very pleasant afternoon to a close.

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Hosts at Whist

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. Turner, of Toronto Street, entertained a number of their friends at court whist. During the evening vocal solos were rendered by Misses D. Wilkinson and V. Paget. After serving of refreshments, dancing was indulged in until an early hour. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smillie, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ridout, Mrs. Woodley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Friend, Mr. and Mrs. V. Ridgway, Mr. and Mrs. Speed, Misses Janet Tully, Dorothy Wilkinson, Helen and Vera Paget, Molly Turner, Messrs. Bill White, Harry Newson, Cyril Sprinkling, Harry and Cyril Turner and Ernie Stock.

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"Surprise Party"

A very enjoyable party in honor of Mr. Alfred Joyce was held Saturday evening at his home on Caledonia Avenue, when a number of friends surprised him. A delightful evening was spent with games and dancing. Among the guests were: The Misses Margaret Darcy, Norah MacDonald, Bessie Simpson, Gertrude Phillips, Ida Billi, Ada Bailey, Messrs. Tommy Larmon, Rennie Butler, Wilfred Summerfield, Theodore Pollard, W. Hall, Frank Howland, Leslie O'Connor, George Benwell, Clifford Joyce. The hostess, Mrs. Joyce, was assisted by Mrs. M. Lindley, Mrs. W. Hoey, Mrs. V. Roberts in serving refreshments.

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Dance at Empress Tonight

To accommodate those who have not already obtained their tickets for the dance this evening at the Empress Hotel, to be held under the auspices of the Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, and which promises to be one of the outstanding social events of the week, tickets may be bought at Terry's Drug Store, Fort Street, until six o'clock, and later at the Empress Hotel ballroom door. Heaton's orchestra will supply the music, and dress for the affair will be informal.

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Artists at Reception

Miss Clare Powell, L.R.C.M., will give a musical monologue, and Mrs. J. Wesley Miller, of Revelstoke, will sing a solo this afternoon at the reception to be held at the Empress Hotel by the Women's Canadian Club in honor of Mrs. Spofford and Mrs. Hanington.

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Marguerite Chapter

The annual meeting of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held today, at 8 o'clock, at the home of the Regent, Mrs. David Miller, 824 McClure Street. It is hoped that all members will be present.

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F. Nightingale Chapter

A meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held yesterday afternoon at the Hamley Building, with the Regent, Mrs. Crowe, in the chair. Announcement was made that the annual meeting will take place Friday next, at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Crowe, Craigdarroch. The election of officers will take place and reports will be read, and it is hoped all members will be present. The Chapter decided yesterday to take out a sustaining membership with the Navy League of Canada.

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Host at Party

At his home Mr. Ernie McConnell last Friday entertained a few of his friends, including the Misses Helen Mawhinney, Clara Gilliland, Mabel Gilliland, Eileen Dixon, Olive Acton, Mary Malcolm, Doris MacMorran, Clara and Grace Renouf, Laura Wilby, Edna Webster, Madge Cronk and Marjorie Renwick, Messrs. Sidney Westendale, Ralph Mawhinney, Charlie Muston, Kenneth Bostock, Eric Griffiths, W. McFadden, Archie Wood, Herman Copas, David Grey and Claude Bissell.

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Birthday Tea

A very enjoyable birthday tea was given by Mrs. E. Griffiths, 1418 Pembroke Street, on Friday evening, in honor of her daughter Murray. Among those present were Mrs. D. Arnason, Muriel Creech, Blanche Cameron, Jean Wilson, Doreen Beare, Erle Sams, Florence Arnason, Mildred Ingle, June Arnason, Murray Griffiths, Paul Beare, Henry Griffiths, Cyril Axhorn, Thorkel Arnason, Len Griffiths and Herbert Griffiths.

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Junior W. A. Entertains

St. Matthias Church Junior W. A. held a successful tea and entertainment on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Randall, 215 St. Charles Street, Foul Bay. The pretty dances, songs and recitations were very well given and received with much enjoyment and appreciation by the large attendance. The girls wish to give their grateful thanks for the contributions to the tea and to those who so kindly gave their assistance.

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Premier at Calgary

The Hon. John Oliver, Premier of British Columbia, was a guest at the annual dinner and reunion of Southern Alberta Pioneers and Old Timers' Association held in Calgary on January 17. Another Victorian who was present at the same gathering was M. F. W. Golsal, who can justly claim to be a genuine pioneer of Alberta. Six hundred guests attended the banquet.

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At White Rock

The many friends of Mr. S. E. Burrows, formerly of the watch repair department of Mitchell & Duncan, Ltd., will be interested to know that he is now residing at White Rock, where he has commenced business for himself. Mr. Burrows spent four years overseas with the C.E.F., and previously was an employee of Challoner & Mitchell.

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Elks' Dance

Members of the Elks' Amateur Swimming Club will entertain at a social dance on Thursday evening next in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street. Dancing will be enjoyed from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., with Bert Zala's orchestra supplying the music. Supper will be served.

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Leaves for Vancouver

Mrs. W. D. Todd, of Victoria, left yesterday for Vancouver, where she will be the guest of the B.C. Products Bureau, Vancouver Board of Trade, at the annual dinner at the Hotel Vancouver on Thursday evening.

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Announces Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brougham announce the engagement of their daughter, Daphne Veronia, to Mr. J. A. Hobday, youngest son of Colonel E. A. P. Hobday, C.M.G., late Royal Artillery.

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Camosun Chapter

Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold its annual meeting at headquarters, Hamley Building, tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. Election of officers will take place.

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To Visit Victoria

Mr. John Millar, M.P., of Indian Head, Sask., who has been spending the past two weeks in Vancouver, has arrived in this city, where he will visit for a few days.

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Back at Maple Bay

Miss Dorothy McMillan, of Maple Bay, returned home today after spending the last two weeks with Mrs. E. Anderson, of 1615 Redfern Street.

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Visits Vancouver

Mrs. J. Fagan, of Victoria, is spending a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Stephen Thompson, Haro Street, Vancouver.

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Goes to Vancouver

Mr. Jack Eldridge, of this city, who has been spending the past year in Prince Rupert, is now in Vancouver, where he will take up his residence.

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Goes to Vancouver

Mrs. W. H. Sutherland, of Victoria, has gone to Vancouver, where she is a guest at the Hotel Vancouver.

DUNCAN

Make Vancouver Visit

Mrs. R. C. MacGregor has gone for a few days to Vancouver, where she will meet her sister, Miss Kathleen Powel, who is returning from a nine months' visit in Peterborough, Toronto, and other Eastern points. They will bid bon voyage at the same time to Mr. and Mrs. George Bowel, of Vancouver, who are leaving for England.

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Return to University

Miss B. Pearce, of Victoria, and Miss Louise Cook, of Chemainus, who have been here for the past two weeks in connection with the field work of the Saanich Health Centre, are returning to Vancouver, where they will resume their public health nursing course at the University.

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Transferred From Bank

Mr. Wrotnosky has been transferred from the local staff of the Bank of Montreal to their branch at Williams Lake.

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Guests of Sister

Mrs. J. M. Campbell has gone to Vancouver, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Munro.

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Returns to Duncan

Mrs. Percy Jaynes has returned to Duncan after a three months' visit to England.

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Visiting Victoria

Mrs. J. S. Robinson, of Koksilah, is a week-end visitor to Victoria.

SIDNEY

Presentation to Pastor

The Anglican congregations of the parish of North Saanich have joined together in making a presentation of silver to the rector, Rev. T. M. Hughes, on the occasion of his approaching marriage. The present was a 52-piece set of Rogers' silverware in an open case, with a silver plate suitably inscribed. The presentation was quietly made by a deputation from the three churches: Mr. G. Salmon and Mr. Jas. Copithorne, from Holy Trinity and Church Hall, and Mr. W. Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. T. Philip, from St. Andrew's. Rev. Mr. Hughes, taken completely by surprise, thanked the deputation for the beautiful gift with a few suitable words.

LADYSMITH

Going to Portland

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hayes are leaving for Portland, Ore., in the near future. Mr. T. Honeyman has bought their home on Victoria Road.

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Discusses Church Matters

Mr. F. D. Ware was in Ladysmith on Friday, discussing church affairs with the different clergymen.

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Visiting Vancouver

Miss May Simpson, one of the public school teachers, is spending the week-end in Vancouver.

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Returns Home

Dr. L. Maxwell has returned from Vancouver.

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Visited City

Mr. K. Walkem was a visitor to Victoria during the week.

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Makes City Trip

Mr. W. Akenhead was a visitor to Victoria during the week.

SAANICH

Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart, of Saanichton; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sluggett, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sluggett and daughters, Mrs. J. Thomson, Ida and Alma Heyer, Madeline and Shirley Sluggett, of Sluggetts, and Mr. and Mrs. Tanner, of Keating, were among the guests at a birthday party given by Mrs. George Sluggett at her home on Dallas Road, Victoria, on Friday evening. The event was given to celebrate the joint birthdays of Mrs. F. T. Tapscott and Miss Grace Sluggett, and a most enjoyable time was had by the many guests.

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Scotch Concert

Plans are now completed for the Scotch concert to be held on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the choir of the Union Church, South Saanich.

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Prairie Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. H. Binns, of Carstairs, Alta., arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Heyer, West Road, on Friday. They are spending a holiday at the Coast.

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Valentine Dance

A Valentine dance will be held at the Temperance Hall, Keating, on February 13. Good music will be provided and refreshments served.

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Leaves for England

Miss M. Scott, who has resided at Mount Newton for the past two years, left for her home in England on Saturday.

Those Who Come and Go

Mrs. E. Fewster and Miss Kate Eastman, of Vancouver, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Huntington, of Cowichan, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bowman, of Owatonna, Minn., are at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. B. A. Burmington, of Winnipeg, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Up-Island arrivals at the Dominion Hotel include J. C. Holford, of Cowichan Bay; Mrs. C. N. M. Hughes, of Cobble Hill; W. E. Baker, of Milnes Landing; Al Peterson, of Campbell River, and Mrs. Kemp, of Parksville.

J. W. Hodgins, of Tate, Sask.; F. G. Webber, of Calgary; R. N. Stephens, of Edmonton; D. G. Ferguson, of Bethune, Sask.; J. O. Young and Mrs. Young, of Three Hills, Alta.; John McLeod and M. N. McLeod and family, of Zealandia, Sask.; Wm. Rees Jones, of Ponoka, Alta.; W. H. Weir and Mrs. Weir, of Regina; F. Sutherland and Mrs. Sutherland, of Winnipeg, and C. Clarke, of Saskatoon, are some of the Prairie visitors now registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Chas. A. Fleming, of Los Angeles; R. E. Bennett and Mrs. Bennett, R. T. Ledingham, J. E. Kashner, Ross Frazier, W. T. Turnbull, R. Quackenbush, and E. Strowbridge, of Seattle, registered at the Dominion Hotel yesterday.

J. F. Noakes, H. L. Wright, T. H. McCafferty, W. J. Graham, H. P. Rowles and Mrs. Rowles, Thomas Braidwood, W. Charles, D. McLennan, Mrs. E. L. Wooten, A. S. Killam, A. McKinnon, of Vancouver; J. Lowery, of Ladysmith; L. G. Rayne and J. C. Mosher, of Hammond, are stopping at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. R. G. Gessup, of Ladysmith; Mr. and Mrs. F. Leather, of Duncan; Mr. F. F. Henderson, of Mayne Island, and Mr. A. Blackburn, of Salt Spring Island, are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Messrs. H. S. M. Jellett, W. N. Alcock, E. G. Kidd, F. H. Horn, J. A. Jones and E. G Shane, of Vancouver; Mr and Mrs. W. G. J Haswell, of Winnipeg; Mr. W. E. Cowle, of Winchester, Eng.; Mrs. Aulmer Williams, of Australia; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cleghorn, Moosomin, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. A. G Fordiff and family, of Lansford, Sask., are new arrivals registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Seattle visitors registered at the Strathcona Hotel include Mr. F. S. McCullough, Mr. B. A. Hunter, Mr. J. K. Yasuthal, Mrs. Wakamoto and daughter, Mr. G. R. Chin, Mr. J. Chan and Mr. S. L. Sloan.

ESQUIMALT BODIES WILL CONFER SOON

COUNCIL AND SCHOOL BOARD TO EFFECT ECONOMIES

Reeve and Legislative Committee to Outline Duties of Health Officer and Solicitor

The entire Esquimalt Council will meet members of the Esquimalt School Board during the present week at a round-table conference to consider where economy could be effected in municipal expenditure, while a committee of the Council, consisting of Reeve Alex. Lockley and Councillors Robert A. Anderson, Albert Heald and James Nicol, will investigate the question of the salaries of municipal employees, according to decisions reached by the Council at its meeting last night.

On the suggestion of Councillor S. A. Pomeroy, the newly-appointed Legislative Committee of the Council, composed of the Reeve and Councillors Anderson, D. W. Dent and Heald, will draw up an agreement outlining the duties of the medical health officer and solicitor, and submit the document to the Council for its ratification.

The Council accepted the Chamber of Commerce's invitation to attend social gatherings that are being held every Wednesday night for the joint entertainment of Victorians and visitors to the city.

The annual loan by-law for $65,000 was given its final reading and passed The auditor's report was received and filed.

Councillor Heald, head of the Finance Committee, brought to the Council's attention accounts of Moore & Whittington for lumber supplied by the firm during 1922. The Finance Committee and engineer were unable to find invoices of all the material supplied, and deprecated the failure of the company to render monthly accounts instead of sending in the bill after the lapse of more than six months. The Council ordered the accounts paid, and will inform Moore & Whittington that they will receive no further patronage unless they secure proper requisitions from the municipal office, and render their accounts monthly.

Clerk Pullen was instructed to make a full report to the Council of the insurance carried by the municipality now. Councillor Heald, who suggested this action, said he thought that the Council was paying too high premiums for some of the insurance it was carrying.

Councillor Anderson suggested that the Council consider the estimates for 1924 at the next meeting, on Monday, February 18, and it was so decided.

A deputation, headed by Mr. William C. Stewart, conferred with the Parks and Playgrounds Committee after the Council session.

CITY OWES BRIDGE COMPANY BIG SUM

The city still owes the Canadian Bridge Company about $68,000 on the Johnson Street bridge superstructure contract. Bills totalling another $2,000 are also outstanding for the safety gates and some spare parts for the bridge. Under the agreement with the city, the bridge company agreed to pay the Dominion Government sales tax, but after the contract was signed the sales tax went up, resulting in a dispute as to who should foot the bill. The city offered a compromise which was acceptable to the company, and it is understood that the final payment on the bridge, less the full amount of the sales tax, will be made practically at once. If $38,000 is obtained for equipment appearing on the books at $53,000, the building of the Johnson Street bridge will cost $1,500 less than the full amount of $920,000 provided by the by-law, City Engineer Preston said yesterday. Depreciation to the amount of $16,000 has been written off against the equipment since it was first obtained. The Johnson Street extension work will come below the total estimate, Mr. Preston informed The Colonist.

SUCCESSFUL DANCE HELD LAST NIGHT AT CALEDONIA HALL

Very successful and most enjoyable, was the dance held last evening at the Caledonia Hall by the staff of H. O. Kirkham's Grocerteria, Yates Street. Over two hundred guests were present and joined in the dancing to the strains of Heaton's orchestra, which generously contributed numerous encores throughout the evening. Novelty dances and moonlight waltzes added much to the pleasure of the guests. The dance was held under the convenership of the following committee: Miss Bruce, Miss Eddie, Mr. Atkins and Mr. Matthews. Dr. Kelley acted as master of ceremonies.

ESQUIMALT CHAPTER

The annual meeting of Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held yesterday afternoon at "Winfrith," the home of Mrs. Bessonette. The election of officers was the main business of the session, and resulted as follows: Honorary regent, Mrs. Belson; regent, Mrs. Henry Croft; first vice-regent, Mrs. F. R. Wright; second vice-regent, Mrs. Booth; secretary, Mrs. R. P. Matheson; educational secretary, Mrs. George Sisman; "Echoes" secretary, Mrs. E. V. Finland; treasurer, Mrs. J. Francis, and standard bearer, Mrs. J. Jones.

A hearty vote of thanks, and a lovely bouquet, was given to Mrs. McTavish, who resigned from her position as treasurer for the Chapter, after several years of untiring work.

Following the business meeting, refreshments and tea were served by the hostess, Mrs. Bessonette. The next meeting will take place on March 3, at the home of the regent, Mrs. Croft, "Mount Adelaide."

THE RANGERS CLUB

The dance held in the Trades Hall on Friday by the Rangers Club proved a great success both socially and financially.

The club wishes to give its sincere thanks to Mrs. J. G. Simpson and Miss Mary Estlin for their kind services rendered in the distribution of the refreshments, which they very satisfactorily handled.

The Farey-Thorne orchestra rendered the music, which was of the finest quality.

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ST. AIDAN'S MEETING

The annual congregational meeting of St. Aidan's Presbyterian Church, Mount Tolmie, was held on Monday evening, January 21, in the church. The reports of the various organizations were read, showing a balance in hand in the case of every report. After the regular business had been disposed of, the question of a church hall for Sunday School, young people's work, and the social life of the congregation generally, came before the meeting for discussion. It was decided, could the necessary funds be raised, a start would be made on the erection of a suitable building. The existing building committee was re-organized, with Mr. C. F. Dawson as convenor. Donations were asked for, and $295 was promised by those present. The committee decided to make a complete and thorough canvass of the district for additional funds. The hope was expressed that those of the congregation not present, and others in sympathy with the movement, would respond as cheerfully according to their means when called upon so that the work could be undertaken at once upon the erection of the new building.

The Million Dollar Doll

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WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY

Teresa Desmond (Terry), lovely and unbelievably innocent, is impersonating her beautiful half-sister.

Juliet Divine, known as the Million Dollar Doll, whose sketchy career is unknown to Terry.

Miles Sheridan, Terry's Dream Prince, furnished the money for her convent education when she was a child. His wife's infidelity is making him wretched, and in order to facilitate her obtaining a divorce, Miles offers the Million Dollar Doll $20,000 to take a yacht trip with him. Juliet is unable to take the trip herself, but working on her little sister's gratitude to Miles, she persuades Terry, who is an exquisite counterpart of herself, to take her place. Miles does not recognize the little girl he befriended so long ago.

Betty Sheridan, Miles' wife, is in love with **Paul di Salvano**, a handsome Italian.

Eustace Nasio, a wealthy Greek who does not know of Terry's relationship to Juliet, is in love with the younger girl.

Mrs. Harkness, Miles' old servant, is Terry's maid on board the yacht. Her early disapproval of "The Million Dollar Doll" is swiftly disappearing under the influence of Terry's childlike charm. Miles has stipulated that he will have nothing to do with the girl on the voyage, but under the impression that Terry is flirting with him, he breaks his bargain and kisses her.

INSTALMENT XLVIII

A Painful Ordeal

On that mid-November day the Place du Casino at Monte Carlo was at its geyest, for it was the Prince of Monaco's birthday, and the morning sun shone on the fluttering flags and tall Venetian masts.

The palms in the gardens clapped their green "Fatma" hands; the air smelled of roses and orange blossoms; women in white dresses carried red parasols; nurses in quaint costumes knitted while children played "tag" round the paths; pigeons strutted in the Place, their breasts glittering like black opals; the Casino had not long been open for the day's play, and the early gamblers were hurrying in, eager with hope.

Everyone looked free from care; yet Terry's heart was leaden. She had become a scandalous figure. She had been hired to be scandalous! She was on parade, to make people stare and whisper. If they knew Miles Sheridan, or had seen Juliet Divine.

If Terry had realized as clearly as now just what it would be like, she wondered if she could have consented to this public parade, even to save her Prince!

Every nerve in her body was taunt as she walked at Sheridan's side, tall and slender and almost startlingly beautiful in an embroidered white frock of Julia's.

As heads turned to stare at the handsome couple, the girl impulsively pulled her white sunshade down so far that it covered her face. Then she remembered that cowardice was the same as breaking the bargain. She was here to be seen. Oh, how she hated it; hated it!

"Come along. This is the way to the terrace," said Miles rather crossly.

As a matter of fact, he was suffering almost as sharply as she was. His nerves too, were taut; and he was surprised to realize that his sensitiveness was for the girl as well as for himself, if not more.

He writhed— fool that he was!—at the need to expose this young creature who looked so fair, so sweet, even so pure, to vile suspicions. But the whole cruise was planned for this one purpose, and the programme had to be gone through.

He tried to keep before his mind the fact that Julia Divine's purity and sweetness were only on the surface, part of her stock-in-trade, and that he must not judge her sensitiveness (which by this time in her life was surely non-existent) by his own.

She was probably enjoying the sensation she created, after being shut up so long on board a yacht with a man whom she must think a bear with a sore paw.

Forcing himself against his instincts to this point of view in order to make the ordeal bearable, Miles glanced at the girl's profile, as she walked by his side. It was downcast, and the one cheek he could see was feverishly red.

"She looks like a school-girl who has laughed at a nasty joke, without knowing what it meant, and then had it brutally explained to her," was the queer thought that jumped into his head.

He pushed it out again, laughing at himself for an ass, and reflected as cooly as he could that this was the day of days for the "plan" to work, at Monte Carlo.

Hartley Phillips had originally counselled him to put off the Mediterranean trip till later in the year, when the "high season," at Monte Carlo and Algiers, or any other fashionable resort where he chose to land, would be crowed with his and Betty's acquaintances.

But, having made up his mind to sacrifice his reputation for his wife's, Sheridan had not the sang froid to wait for a "convenient time." He had to plunge into the hateful adventure at once, and get it over, quite as much for his own sake as Betty's.

His argument to Phillips had been that there were always people one knew at Monte, and that he could count upon several who would occupy the villas they had taken there, as early as November, in order to "get their moey's worth." It was the same with Algeirs.

But he had been cleverer than he knew; for he had forgotten about the Prince of Monaco's birthday and the double celebrations, on the 15th and 16th at Monte Carlo, and on Monaco Rock.

It was luck to have landed on the 15th, without calculating the date, and finding a crowd like this to spread the tale of Miles Sheridan's shameful conduct. He ought to be glad that things were going so well, instead of feeling a worm!

In Tomorrow's Instalment Appears Miles' Aunt.

WAR PRESIDENT BORE GREAT LOAD

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Too Proud to Fight

When the European conflict burst upon the world in all its fury, President Wilson, in an address to his fellow countrymen, counselled them to be strictly neutral. Exerting every effort to avert the drawing of the United States into the maelstrom, for nearly three years he drew upon himself the bitterest criticism of some of his staunchest friends. About this time, speaking of the example of America in regard to peace, he said:

"There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as a nation being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right."

Popular sentiment against peace at any price, was rising in America. Fighting Europe ridiculed Mr. Wilson's policy, but later accepted the explanation of his friends that he was manoeuvering for delay, that the United States was not prepared to take a big part in the struggle, that the nation was not unitedly for war by reason of its diverse population and divided sentiment.

A tragic moment in the President's life came, when, sitting at the bedside of a dying wife, he penned a message to the European powers suggesting a peaceful settlement. Mrs. Wilson died on August 6, 1914, and the President took her body to her girlhood home in Rome, Georgia, for burial. The family circle had been broken only a short time previously by the marriage of two of the President's daughters, Jessie and Eleanor, one to Francis Bowes Sayre, and the other to William G. McAdoo, then Secretary of the Treasury. Mrs. Wilson's death left the President alone except for his eldest daughter, Margaret, who was absent much of the time in welfare work.

Sinking of Lusitania

On May 7, 1915, the great steamship Lusitania was torpedoed and sunk off the coast of Ireland with the loss of 1,500 lives, more than 110 of them American and many women and children. There was a widespread clamor in the United States for war.

Ship after ship had been sent to the bottom without warning, and this climax came with the sinking on March 24, 1916, of the English Channel steamer Sussex. The President, in a final note, served notice on the German Emperor that he might expect war with the United States if the "inhuman and illegal" practices continued. His warning to Germany that she would be held to "a strict accountability," and his later declaration that America would use "force without limit," stirred responsive chords in the hearts of most Americans.

President Wilson accordingly broke off diplomatic relations with the Berlin Government and gave Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, his passports. Everybody knew it meant war, that the conflict was close at hand.

Internal affairs in the United States early in 1917 were in a state of restiveness, verging on turmoil. Enemy propagandists were busy night and day. The increasing cost of living was of grave concern to wage earners. Scores of strikes in industrial plants and on railroads were fomented by Austro-German plotters financed by Count von Bernstorff and aids of Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador, who had been sent back to Vienna.

Most Remarkable Achievement

Draft machinery was put in motion and, despite the derision of the German general staff, "the most remarkable achievement in the history of all warfare," according to General Peyton C. March, the American chief of staff, was accomplished. Training camps were located throughout the country, and within a year nearly 2,000,000 armed and equipped soldiers were landed in England and France, by means mostly of British transports. A second draft, registering men from 18 to 21, and from 31 to 45, was ordered to bring America's fighting force in Europe up to 4,850,000 men, but few of these were called as the Central Powers shortly after collapsed.

Meanwhile the United States Navy had been greatly augmented, and on November 11, 1918, when the armistice was signed, she had 338 warships and 70,000 enlisted men in service abroad.

The President was largely instrumental in organizing during this period the Emergency Fleet Corporation, the War Industries Board, and the Food and Fuel Administrations and other war bodies all of which came in for a great deal of criticism. One of these, the Aircraft Production Division was accused of gross irreguarities, extravagance and delay. It was charged that more than $650,000,000, which had been appropriated by Congress for this department, had been practically wasted. The President designated former Justice Hughes to investigate the allegations, some of which were sustained and others of which were dismissed with the observation that "there is no law to punish men for inefficiency." It was found, however, that no one was criminally culpable.

Not the least important of other war measures adopted at the behest of Mr. Wilson during his second administration were the Federalization of the railroads, cables, telephones and telegraph systems and the plan for the upbuilding by the government itself of a great American merchant marine. For the last named purpose alone Congress appropriated the sum of $2,850,000,000. Later these public utilities were returned to private control.

ITALIAN MAESTRO PRESENTING PUPILS

Cav. De Castri Giving Students' Recital Thursday Evening in Honor of Mrs. W. F. Bullen

Cav. Dr. C. Di Castri, next Thursday evening, is giving the first students' recital he has organized since he began teaching in Victoria several years ago. The event, consequently, is exciting not a little notice among those who are following the work of the different vocal studios. The work of his four most advanced pupils, Mrs. V. G. Aldous, Miss R. Melville, Miss Stubbs, and Mr. J. J. Matheson, will be watched with particular attention.

Signor Di Castri only a few months ago returned from Italy after a visit of nearly a year, during which he was considerably interviewed and feted. This was in tribute to the fame which he himself once enjoyed as a singer before the accident occurred to his voice which ended his stage career. Il Mattino spoke of his debut in "Aide" not many years ago as quite a feat, in the course of which he "gained the full sympathy of the public, securing for himself a storm of applause," owing to the "shining freshness of his voice and his great artistic personality." Il Corriere referred to "the unusual range, the artistic quality, the individual and fascinating style forshadowing a glorious future," and La Musica, one of the most critical of the art journals of Italy, bespoke for him "boundless success" based on his artistic singing in "Pagliacci."

At the recital next Thursday evening at New Thought Temple, Dr. T. W. Butler will open the proceedings with a talk on "Singing from the Psychological Point of View." The recital, it should be stated, is being given in honor of Mrs. W. F. Bullen, one of the well-known patrons of the arts in Victoria.

Among those taking part are: Di Castri, Miss R. Matthews, Miss Stubbs, Miss Melville, Mrs. Aldous, Miss Crossley, Miss M. North, Messrs Woolatt, Matheson and Smedley.

SEEK UNIFORMITY IN GAME REGULATIONS

Mr. M. B. Jackson Goes East to Attend Conference of Federal and Provincial Game Authorities

Hon. M. B. Jackson, Liberal member for the Islands riding and chairman of the Provincial Game Preservation Board, has left for Ottawa, where he will attend a joint conference of game authorities of the federal and various provincial governments called by the Department of the Interior.

Among the important questions to be dealt with will be provincial co-operation in the matter of preventing violators of the game laws of one province escaping punishment by the simple expedient of crossing into another province. This co-operation is especially sought by British Columbia to curtail the activities of fur "bootleggers" who, in recent years, have been operating actively in this Province.

Conservation of the wild life now rapidly becoming extinct will also be an important question at the conference.

PREMIER SPEAKS AT ESQUIMALT TONIGHT

Hon. Mr. Oliver Will Deal With Important Issues at Liberal Meeting in Rex Theatre

Premier Oliver will be the chief speaker at a meeting of the Esquimalt Liberal Association to be held in the Rex Theatre this evening. There will be a large attendance to welcome the Premier, who will deal with freight rates, the new Provincial Party's charges and other matters, including the redistribution bill passed at the recent session.

Mrs. Frank Campbell, president of the Association, will preside.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

CAPITALS ARE DEALT DEFEAT BY MAROONS

Six to Four Is Count by Which Vancouver's Hockey Team Emerges Victorious From Hard-Fought Game on Mainland—Sides Were on Even Terms Until Final Period—MacKay in Rare Form

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4.—Vancouver Maroons defeated the Regina Capitals here tonight by the score of six to four, in one of the roughest and fastest games of the season. Up until the beginning of the third period, the teams battled on even terms, but in the last frame the locals ran wild at the expense of the visitors, scoring three goals while Regina only countered once.

The Capitals leave Tuesday morning for the prairies with an even break on their Coast tour, winning two and losing two games. The Maroons accompany them East, the Vancouver squad opening their second prairie invasion of the season at Regina Wednesday night.

Well Fought Out

One fight and several near-fistic encounters featured the proceedings in the final period.

On the whole, however, the game was a fine exhibition. Each team started without one regular. Traub and Skinner were out of the game owing to injuries, and Dutkowski and Helgy Bostrom filled their places. Both players gave a creditable exhibition, Bostrom's display being the best he has shown this year. Lloyd Cook lacerated his foot in the second period and was forced to retire for the rest of the game.

MacKay and Boucher carried off the scoring honors for the locals. Irvin played well. His strategy proving a decided factor in the visitors' offensive.

Gagne was the leading scorer for Regina, with two goals.

Stanley occupied the limelight frequently. Duncan played brilliantly for the locals, his work being a big factor in the local win.

On Even Terms

The teams battled on even terms throughout the first period. Irvin scored the first goal when he evaded the entire Vancouver defence and beat Lehman handily.

Duncan came through with the equalizer shortly afterwards when he finished a fine rush with a brilliant goal. MacKay put the locals in the lead a little later, only to have Gagne put the visitors on even terms again after a short pass from Newell.

Summary

First period—1, Regina, Irvin, 5:04; 2, Vancouver, Duncan, 3:04; 3, Vancouver, MacKay, 4:52; 4, Regina, Gagne from Newell, 1:23.

Second period—5, Vancouver, MacKay, 7:16; 6, Regina, Newell from Stanley, 5:09.

Third period—7, Vancouver, Matte from MacKay, 2:38. 8, Vancouver, MacKay from Boucher, 5:00; 9, Regina, Gagne from Irvin, 6:37; 10, Vancouver, Boucher, 4:11.

Penalties

First period—Irvin, 2 minutes.
Second period—Moran, 2 minutes.
Third period—Newell, Duncan, Dutkowski, Boucher, Irvin, Bostrom, Moran; all 2 minutes.

P.C.H.A. RECORDS

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Seattle	23	10	13	0	63	77	20
Vancouver	22	9	12	1	59	63	19
Victoria	21	9	12	0	60	71	18

Duncan Ahead Again

	G.	A.	Pts.
Duncan, Vancouver	16	6	22
Fredrickson, Victoria	16	5	21
MacKay, Vancouver	14	4	18
Walker, Seattle	13	2	15
Hart, Victoria	12	1	13
Boucher, Vancouver	11	2	13
Fraser, Seattle	11	2	13
Foyston, Seattle	10	2	12
Loughlin, Victoria	8	4	12
Meeking, Victoria	7	4	11
Cook, Vancouver	6	5	11
Briden, Victoria	9	1	10
Harris, Seattle	6	4	10
Matte, Vancouver	8	1	9
Halderson, Victoria	6	2	8
Rowe, Seattle	8	0	8
Skinner, Vancouver	6	1	7
Gibson, Victoria	4	2	6
McFarlane, Seattle	4	0	4
Anderson, Victoria	2	1	3
Parkes, Vancouver	3	0	3
Riley, Seattle	0	2	2
Bostrum, Vancouver	2	0	2
Arbor, Seattle	2	0	2
Tribey, Victoria	1	0	1
Fisher, Seattle	0	1	1

Games This Week

Tomorrow—Victoria vs. Seattle, at Seattle.

Thursday—Vancouver vs. Regina, at Regina.

Friday—Seattle vs. Victoria, at Victoria.

Saturday—Vancouver vs. Saskatoon, at Saskatoon.

TENNIS SCRIBES BARRED

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The U.S. Lawn Tennis Association at its annual meeting decided by an overwhelming vote to declare tennis player-writers ineligible for amateur competition after January 1, 1925.

MICKEY MacKAY

The Vancouver flash, who last night grabbed no less than four points at Regina's expense, and has climbed on to close terms with Freddie and Duncan, the latter, by his tally last evening, jumping into the premier place. MacKay secured three goals and an assist, and by virtue of this feat he now possesses 18 points in the scoring honors contest. Duncan has 22 and Fredrickson 21. If MacKay continues in the same speedy manner as has been the case during the past few weeks in respect to notching tallies, Mickey will have a mighty fine chance of being the top man this Winter.

BRITAIN CHALLENGES FOR THE DAVIS CUP

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Great Britain has sent a challenge for the Davis Cup, the premier trophy of international lawn tennis, now held by the United States, it was announced this evening.

Britain's challenge is the seventh to be filed for the 1924 Davis Cup contest, and the sixth from a nation in the European zone. Last year the British team, which did not measure up to the playing strength of a nation which had won the international trophy five times since 1900, was eliminated in the second round by Spain, after defeating Belgium in the opening round of the European open competition.

WEST ROAD BASKETBALL

The West Road basketball team, having no games dated for the coming week, the captain, Mr. T. Boden, would be pleased to hear from the manager of any other team wishing to arrange a contest. The West Road has senior, junior and intermediate teams, as well as the five who represent the school. The girls' team from the school has been busy practising for some time.

Canadian Team Wins Olympic Hockey Final

Defeats United States in Rough Game by Six Goals to One—Pace Fast and Furious Throughout—Combination Work Brought Victory Against Individual Effort—Bitter Rivalry Shown in Contest at Chamonix

CHAMONIX, Feb. 4.—Canada won the blue ribbon event of the 1924 Olympic Winter games and added 10 Olympic points to her score when the Dominion hockey team yesterday defeated the United States in the final of the hockey series, 6 to 1. It was a fast and furious contest from start to finish, and when the referee blew his whistle and the game was over, the United States players were physically exhausted and stumbling from fatigue.

The smoothness and finish of the Canadian offensive combination overwhelmed the brilliant individual play of the United States. As regularly as though conducted by well-oiled machinery, the puck passed from Smith to McCaffery to Watson or from Munro to Smith to Watson and into the net. Drury, who scored the only tally for the United States, did so after a single-handed dash. Munro and Ramsay made an almost impregnable defence for the Canadian goal and smothered the individual efforts of the United States forwards.

No Love Lost

There was little love lost between the two teams, rivals since the Olympic hockey commenced.

The game had not proceeded more than two minutes when Watson was bleeding from the nose, and Rice was stretched out on the ice after a collision with Smith.

The United States fought hard in the opening session when they were fresh, and frequently Rice and McCarthy rushed down the ice only to be blocked hard by the Canadian defence. Then began the regular action of the Canadian combination in its mechanical perfection, heart-breaking for the United States. The puck seemed to pass ceaselessly between the sticks of the Canadian forwards. Hard back-checking was of little avail. The fast skating and stick-handling of Uncle Sam's team was futile against the relentless Canadian machine.

Fastest Ever Seen

The thousands of spectators who filled the stands watching the most hard fought and swiftest hockey that Europe had ever seen, thrilled to the desperate stand made by the United States under the pressure of the better Canadian team. Time after time cheers broke from the crowd as Drury or Rice clashed away only to be foiled as he reached Ramsay or Munro. Shots from outside the line of point were easy for Cameron. Cheers rose as the popular Canadians penetrated the United States lines and drove the bullet-like shots at Lacroix.

The referee had his difficulties from the opening and his frequent cautions seemed of little avail. Collisions between rival players were frequent and time was called often when either a Canadian or United States player was stretched out.

Real Combination

The Dominion representatives seemed to be a good deal fresher and pressed the attack hotly, still retaining the beautiful co-ordinated play to which they owed their success in the earlier stages of the game.

Small, Drury and Abel starred for the United States. No one stands out prominently among the Canadians: that is why they won.

Summary

First period—1, Canadians, Watson, 5:00; 2, Canadians, Watson, 3:00 3, United States, Drury, :50.

Second period—4, Canadians, Smith 11:00; 5, Canadians, McCaffery, 1:00; 6, Canadians, Munro, 4:20.

Third period—7, Canadians, Watson, 12:00.

Line-Up

United States.	Position.	Canadians
Lacroix	Goal	Cameron
Small	Defence	Ramsay
Abel	Defence	Munro
Drury	Centre	Smith
Rice	Wing	McCaffrey
McCarthy	Wing	Watson

Rickard to Organize Pro Hockey League

NEW YORK, Feb. 4. — Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, admitted today he was considering the organization of a professional hockey league next Winter. He denied, however, that he had arranged to put the Canadian Olympic champions in the league to represent New York, as reported from Canadian sources.

Champions and Chance

By TEX RICKARD

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CHAPTER XV

In the Training Camps

It was in the Reno fight between Jeffries and Johnson that I began to earn the basic principles of promoting, of making a big affair like that successful.

An editor in the West has written to ask me if I know of a real grudge fight. Frankly I never did. Moreover, I don't believe there ever was one.

In the old days it used to be accepted as the proper form for one fighter to refuse to speak to his opponent while training. There were stories, probably encouraged by some booster, about the two fighters meeting accidentally while doing road work and almost coming to blows. This was supposed to convince the public that they were bitter enemies and, consequently, would put up a harder fight.

That to me is a lot of bosh. I never believed in it and the more I see of the fight game the less I believe in it. The public likes to look on a fight as a sporting event. No man ever showed poor sportsmanship by being friendly to his opponent before and after the fight. That was my theory and I put it into practice with Jeffries and Johnson.

I used to make a point of going fishing or hunting with Jeffries and of visiting him at his headquarters. On other occasions I would get in Jack Johnson's big racing car and ride with him. I never tried to keep anybody from seeing me do it, either.

You ought to have heard the busybodies warning me about this.

Wry the Fighters Hobnob

"It's bad dope for you to be seen out with these fighters," they would tell me. "There'll be a lot of underground talk. Don't forget you are the promoter and the referee."

"Maybe you are right," I told one adviser, "but I'm going out fishing with Jeffries tomorrow. I like to talk to him."

Often Jeffries would ask me about Johnson.

"What kind of shape is he in, Tex?"

"Fine," I told him. "He'll give you quite a fight."

Then Johnson would ask about Jeffries. I would tell him the same thing. I would never try to flatter one of them by telling him he had a cinch. That would be foolish.

In later years I have gone further in this line. I have made special arrangements for the two fighters to be seen together before the fight. The fans like that, and so do the fighters, for that matter.

I took particular pains, for instance, to see that Dempsey and Carpentier met each other in a friendly way before their fight. I even arranged for them to play golf together. To me that looks like sportsmanship.

While we were getting ready in Reno there was much whispered talk to the effect that the fight had been fixed. That is all foolishness. Often I am asked about it to this day.

Jeffries had no idea that Johnson would win that fight. If anything, it was Johnson who lacked the confidence. He wasn't so sure. A proof of this is that Jeffries felt so sure of winning he insisted on sixty per cent of the purse going to the winner. Johnson felt the same way about it. If there had been any thought of Johnson laying down they would have split the purse nearer even. You can go and bet that Jim Jeffries thought himself sure of winning.

From Left to Right: Jim Jeffries, Tex Rickard and the Chief of Police of San Francisco, When the Jeffries-Johnson Fight Was Proposed.

$66,000 Jeff's Film Profit

In justice to Jeffries, by the way, it is a fact that the sudden change of climate from San Francisco to Reno affected him very seriously. He contracted stomach trouble and diarrhoea. That made him slow and logy and he could not entirely eradicate it by training.

A big item in that fight, apparently overlooked by many at the start, was the moving picture rights. Johnson and Jeffries were to divide their share of this equally. Johnson made a bad mistake of selling out his entire picture interest for $50,000. Jeffries held on to his and it netted him $66,660.

At Reno the preliminary arrangements took on a different air. There was all sorts of fun. The newspaper men really had more to write about than if we had stayed in San Francisco. There was more of the romance of the Goldfield fight about it.

Johnson kept his admirers and others constantly amused with a racing automobile and his big bull fiddle. Some have an idea that Jack was not serious about racing that car. Don't you believe it. He thought himself the greatest racing driver in the world and would take any sort of chances.

And That Bull Fiddle

Johnson also knew how to play that big bull fiddle. It was his delight to get a crowd of white folks at night or afternoon and make the old bull snort. He could actually do tricks with that big fiddle.

Another of his favorite pastimes was to have chicken dinners. Always he had a smile for everybody. It was a golden smile, too. It always looked to me as if Jack Johnson had more gold teeth than anybody in the world.

There were frequent reports that Jefferies was acting ugly and surly while Johnson was happy-go-lucky and friendly.

As a matter of fact Jefferies is a big, friendly fellow. He was suffering from that stomach trouble. Try as he would he could not entirely get over it. That made him worry. He was not surly or sullen.

I watched these fellows train because I wanted to learn as much as possible about my job of referee. As the Fourth of July approached that refereeing business made me sit up and think.

Tomorrow: "Jeff and Johnson in the Ring."

Shells and Pacifics Engage Tomorrow

Definitely Agreed at League Meeting to Play Sudden Death Game to Decide City Amateur Hockey Championship—Exhibition Between Colonists and Sons of Canada Has Had to Be Cancelled After All

THE Shell and Pacific hockey teams will provide the feature at this week's entertainment at the local ice palace on Wednesday night. The two teams are billed in a sudden death game for the senior city amateur hockey championship and the right to represent Victoria in the Provincial play-off, which will take place on the following Wednesday.

Nothing in It

The Shells and Pacifics have been nip and tuck all season, and fans will no doubt welcome this event and turn out in good numbers to witness the game. The three fixtures that the two teams have played in have been of the highest class that amateur hockey can produce, and next Wednesday's game promises to outclass them all.

Officials of the league held a meeting last night at the Chamber of Commerce and decided that it would be in the best interest of amateur hockey fans to have a sudden-death match on the same principle as Vancouver and Seattle do. It was also decided to dispense with the exhibition game between the Sons of Canada and the Colonists and devote the full time to the Shell-Pacific feature. The financial standing of the league is not exactly on an A1 basis, according to Treasurer Moriarty, and the officials would like to see a bumper crowd present on Wednesday night next.

AVERAGES TO DATE IN BOWLING LEAGUE

	Games Played	Total Pins	Avge.
Kennedy (Arcades)	12	2075	172.9
Miller (U.C.T.)	21	3609	171.8
Barton (Arcades)	24	4111	171.2
West (U.C.T.)	16	2680	167.5
Gibson (Cougars)	21	3497	166.5
Bell (Pressmen)	24	3955	164.7
Moore (Colonist)	21	3446	164.1
Andrews (Sidney)	12	1967	163.9
Nehring (U.C.T.)	18	2905	161.3
Malcolm (U.C.T.)	26	4183	160.8
Millar (Ramblers)	24	3834	159.7
Handley (Ramblers)	9	1435	159.4
Davidson (Arcades)	24	3815	158.9
Huxtable (Ramblers)	16	2520	157.5
Fairall (Colonist)	21	3298	157
D'Arcy (U.C.T.)	27	4156	155.9
Harness (Arcades)	27	4235	156.8
Neill, W. (Pressmen)	24	3760	156.6
Falk (Arcades)	24	3733	155.5
Moulton (Colonist)	18	3764	155.5
Henge (U.C.T.)	15	2332	155.4
Chislett (Colonist)	21	3264	155.3
Hawkins (Colonist)	21	3225	153.5
Huckle (Colonist)	21	3225	153.5
Hart (Cougars)	20	3052	152.6
Holden (Weller's)	21	3196	152.1

League Standings

	W.	L.	Pts.	Total
Arcades	22	5	814	21,215
U.C.T.	20	7	740	20,987
Pressmen	15	9	624	18,001
Colonist	15	12	555	20,956
Cougars	9	15	374	11,435
Ramblers	10	17	370	19,254
Sidney	7	20	259	18,298
Weller's	7	20	259	17,151

This week's fixtures:
Feb. 5.—U.C.T. v. Pressmen.
Feb. 6.—Colonist v. Weller's.
Feb. 7.—Sidney v. Arcades.

WOULD GIVE HOCKEY GREATER IMPORTANCE

Delegates of Seventeen Nations Impressed After Seeing Canadians and Americans Play

CHAMONIX, Feb. 4.—Canada's great national Winter sport may assume a more important place in the list of the Olympic games in future. Following yesterday's sensational contest, in which Canada defeated the United States by six goals to one, a proposal was discussed for a complete revision of rules of scoring Olympic sports in order to give hockey the position in the games which the admirers of this great game believe is its due.

During an exchange of views and suggestions by delegates of seventeen nations who participated in the sports, who talked over the subject at a banquet last night, some speakers put forward the idea of counting fifty points for the finals, and others suggested counting elimination games at ten points to the winners, and semi-finals at fifteen points.

LADYSMITH FINDS NORTHFIELD EASY

Soccer Match Played on Former's Home Ground Is Won by Score of Eight to One

LADYSMITH, Feb. 3.—In a drizzling rain, about 250 spectators saw Ladysmith take Northfield into camp by the score of eight goals to one, in a football game of the Upper Island League today. The score is an indication of the play, as Northfield was not at any time of the game very dangerous.

About fifteen minutes after commencement of the play, Meredith, of Northfield, scored their lone tally of the day. From this on, Ladysmith had the game in their own hands, three goals being scored by Sneddon, Houston and Chapman in the space of five minutes. Chapman registered another goal before half time.

The second half was much slower than the first. Ladysmith, realising that they had the game secure, slowed down considerably. Strang, of Ladysmith, secured three goals in succession, following which Chapman got the final score of the day. Northfield worked hard, and are a fairly fast team, but lacked the ability to shoot when the situation arose. Ladysmith, on the other hand, had a well-balanced team all working well together. Comedy was introduced into the game by Referee Rogers slipping on the muddy field and doing a clown stunt for the benefit of the spectators.

NORWAY WINS

CHAMONIX, Feb. 4.—Norway carried off first honors in the 1924 Olympic Winter sports.

The official number of points totalled by the winner will not be known until late tonight, and perhaps not until tomorrow, as the ski jury must figure out the intricate system of point allowances. However, with four men placed in the first six in the distance ski jump, and a like number in the combined race, there is no possible chance of Norway losing. It is only a question of how many points they may finish ahead of Finland, their nearest competitor.

The standing of the teams, with one event still undecided, follows: Norway, 112 1-2; Finland, 76 1-2; Great Britain, 20; United States, 29; Austria, 25; Sweden, 24; Switzerland, 24; France, 19 1-2; Canada, 11; Czecho-Slovakia, 7 1-2; Belgium, 6; Italy, 1.

THIRD ROUND DRAW FOR ENGLISH CUP

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The draw for the third round of the English Association football cup, to be played February 23, was made today as follows:

Cardiff vs. The Wednesday or Bristol City.

Crystal Palace or Notts County vs. Swindon.

Southampton vs. Liverpool.

West Bromwich Albion vs. Charlton or Wolverhampton.

Exeter or Watford vs. Derby or Newcastle.

Burnley or Fulham vs. Huddersfield.

Aston Villa vs. West Ham or Leeds.

Brighton or Hove vs. Manchester City or Halifax.

The round will be played on the grounds of the first-named clubs.

MANY ENTRIES FOR ASSAULT-AT-ARMS

Preparations Complete for Event at Horse Show Building Tomorrow—Polo Game a Feature

From present indications it looks as if the assault-at-arms and polo game which is scheduled for the Horse Show Building, Willows Park, tomorrow evening, will prove to be one of the most successful events that have ever been staged in that historic building. Numerous entries have been received for all of the events on the programme, and as both branches of the service will be strongly represented good competition is insured right through.

What promises to be the outstanding event on the programme is the polo game for the cup emblematic of the championship of the city. Three teams have put in their entries for this event, and a draw is being made this morning to decide which two teams will take part in the preliminary game, which is to be played this evening, as it is the intention to stage the final game only tomorrow evening. The teams are being captained by the following well-known sportsmen: Army team, Col. Greer; civilian team, Col. Hobday; and Naval team, Lieut. A. Mitchell.

All of the teams are in excellent shape for the games, and as they are all confident of success some good indoor polo should be witnessed.

Another big feature is the spectacular jumping by Glen Mona, to be ridden by Lieut. Carley. Three hazardous jumps will be attempted during the evening, and they will consist of jumping over a fully set dining table at which two diners will be seated; jumping over the table on which a man will be lying, and jumping over a horse and buggy. It is claimed that this is the first time that jumps of this nature have been attempted in this country, and they should prove to be quite thrilling events. There has been quite a demand for seats, and it is expected that the building will be filled when the entertainment commences at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Ireland's Rugby Team Picked for Saturday's Match Against England

BELFAST, Feb. 4.—The players selected for the team to represent Ireland in the International Rugby match with England, scheduled for February 9 here, will be as follows: Fullback, W. Crawford; three-quarters, H. Stephenson, G. Stephenson, J. Gardner and A. Douglas; half-backs, J. Clarke and W. Hall; forwards, J. Clinch, J. Stuart, W. Collopy, R. Collopy, R. Crichton, C. Halloran, T. McLelland and J. MacVicker.

The foregoing team is the same as the one that played France in the International Rugby match of January 26 last, which Ireland won by 6 to 9, with the exception that A. Douglas (Watsonians), J. Clarke (Bective Rangers) and J. Stuart (Dublin University) take the place of Atkins, McDonnell and Collis, respectively.

Battling Siki Tries To Kiss Ed. Lewis

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Battling Siki, the boxer, caused Ed. "Strangler" Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion, to jump out of a ring here the other night, it was revealed here tonight.

Siki did not challenge Lewis, instead, he tried to kiss the heavyweight champion, following the French custom.

The Senegalese refereed an exhibition match in which Lewis appeared. When the "Strangler" was declared the winner, Siki started to throw his arms around him and emplant a kiss on the cheek of Lewis, and Lewis took it on the run.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

There seems to be a regular epidemic of argument and discussion in the sport columns of newspapers all over the continent on amateurism in sport.

Almost every day the Old 'Un picks up a pink sheet or a green sheet in which the editor gives his own particular definition of an amateur.

The word amateur is derived direct from the Latin word meaning to love, and the strict interpretation of the word means one who cultivates a particular pursuit FOR THE LOVE OF IT.

The man doesn't love a sport very much who is willing to debase it by dishonorable tactics.

He cannot love it at all when he pretends to play for the love of the game and really takes money "under the rose."

Having a good job found for him on condition that he plays on such and such a team should put him outside the amateur ranks just as much as if he went hunting in his boots for ten-dollar bills.

Then again, some players, not to mention managers, seem to love scrapping over a game on and off the field of play a good deal more than they love the game itself.

WHY DON'T THEY JOIN A DEBATING SOCIETY AND LEAVE REAL SPORT ALONE?

The Old 'Un used to think at one time that the amateur controlling bodies were a bit too strict, especially when it came to not allowing professionals in one line of sport to play as amateurs in another.

HE'S NOT NEARLY SO SURE OF IT NOW.

The proposed move to alter the regulation golf ball and make it lighter and bigger is not going to be regarded with much favor by the average golfer.

Just because the big professionals using the present ball and its long carry must have courses lengthened out a thousand yards or so in order to provide a true test of championship golf is no reason why you or I should be deprived of the joy of our long smites (when we get them).

A golf authority of the United States has said that what has made the game popular with more than two million men and women in his country, outside of the game's intrinsic virtues, is undoubtedly the carrying capacity of the modern ball.

The 1.55 ball would cut down the drive of the average golfer an average of twenty-five yards. True it is that "Somebody is always trying to take the joy out of life."

It's all rot to say that the lighter ball is the wish of the older players and would permit them to "share laurels with the younger."

MAH JONG IS CAUSING A SHARP RISE IN THE PRICE OF BONE.

JAMES W. ROSS, Canadian Trade Commissioner at SHANGHAI, tells of the great demand for sets, which has so far exceeded the supply. Chinese firms cannot meet this demand.

The rapid growth in the popularity of the game has made a market for the shin bones of oxen and cows, which is becoming difficult to satisfy, and bones from the American stockyards are now quoted at $200 gold per ton.

COWICHAN RUGGERS WIN FROM GANGES

DUNCAN, Feb. 4.—Cowichan defeated Ganges in an excellent game of Rugby football at the Recreation Grounds on Saturday by a score of three points (one try) to nil.

The game was evenly contested throughout, the only score coming a few minutes before half-time, when Hope went over the line for the winning tally. The attempt to convert from a difficult angle failed to add the extra points.

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UP-ISLAND SOCCER

Cumberland and Davenports Draw—Nanaimo Team Beaten by Nine to Two

NANAIMO, Feb. 4.—Two soccer games in the Upper-Island League were played here Sunday, the first being between Cumberland and the local Davenports, resulting in a draw, the score being 1-1. Following the above game Nanaimo City met the local G.W.V.A., in which the latter were defeated by nine goals to two. A feature of the game was the scoring of five of the nine goals for Nanaimo City by Watson. Rutledge, of Nanaimo, also added to his laurels by stopping a penalty kick by G. Watson, of the Veterans. Both games were played in drizzling rain, with resultant soggy grounds.

COWICHAN GOLF CLUB

DUNCAN, Feb. 4.—The regular monthly medal competition of the lady members of Cowichan Golf Club was held on Saturday when Mrs. K. F. Duncan won out of a field of fifteen contestants.

The following were the scores:

	Gross	Handicap	Net
Mrs. K. F. Duncan	62	17	45
Mrs. E. A. Price	63	17	46
Mrs. M. M. White	60	14	46
Miss K. Robertson	60	14	46
Mrs. W. B. Harper	66	18	46
Mrs. Hickes	65	18	47
Mrs. Boyd Wallis	63	14	49
Mrs. Darcus	71	18	53
Miss Clark	71	18	53
Mrs. W. E. Corfield	73	18	55
Mrs. F. H. Price	74	18	56
Mrs. W. Morten	65	10	55
Mrs. Share	69	10	59
Mrs. H. N. Watson	86	18	68
Mrs. Elkington	105	18	87

CLOVERDALE SCHOOL WINS

Royal Oak School football team met Cloverdale School team at Royal Oak Saturday afternoon. Fast play was a feature of the tussle, which finally resulted in a score of 3 to 2 in favor of Cloverdale. Sylvester Robbins was referee for the game, which was attended by a large number of people interested in the school sports.

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At the Playhouses

"SIX CYLINDER LOVE" FINE SCREEN COMEDY

All Speed Limits Broken on Arrival at Capitol Theatre of New Screen Comedy—Thrills Galore

When the traffic cop let "Six Cylinder Love" in town without an arrest he permitted all kinds of speed laws to be successfully violtted. For this William Fox offering, which darted into public view last night at the Capitol Theatre for a weeks run, is a fast moving romance and comedy-drama in which an automobile starts the rumpus and nearly ends it. Thereby hangs the tale.

Ernest Truex, who played in "Six Cylinder Love" on Broadway and the road for the past two years, cinemizes this part in the picture which, under Elmer Clifton's skilful direction is one of the best combinations of laugh, weep and laugh that has come to town in many a day. Opposite the pint-sized Truex is Florence Eldridge. Miss Eldridge is the "vamping wife" to perfection. Many a man will recognise in her a vivacious expression of his own Waterloo! Perhaps the girls will learn some new tricks from her, too!

UNUSUAL PHOTOPLAY AT ROYAL THIS WEEK

"Black Oxen" Is a Modern Drama of Love and Romance in the Most Exclusive Society

Many times has is been proved that it isn't always possible to make a good photodrama from a best selling novel, but those who attend the Royal Victoria Theatre this week will have occasion, we believe to say that in producing "Black Oxen," a First National Picture, Frank Lloyd has made the most popular story of 1923 into one of the most exceptional dramas the screen has yet seen. "Black Oxen" was a great novel; those who have seen it screened aver that it is a greater film story.

Corinne Griffith proves herself an artiste personified in this production. For several years Miss Griffith has been gradually climbing up the ladder of film fame, and in "Black Oxen" it is apparent that she has arrived. Not only is Miss Griffith one of the most beautiful actresses it has been our pleasure to see on the silver sheet, but the manner in which she wears her many changes of gowns is a revelation indeed. In a number of scenes Miss Griffith appears as the old Countess Zatianny prior to the time a marvelous glandular treatment restored her health and youthful charm and the contrast between the Zatianny of these scenes and the stunning Zatianny of the main theme of the play is conclusive proof of Miss Griffith's versatility as an actress. Miss Griffith's many gowns, her furs and her coiffures, should appeal strongly to women folk who follow the styles and wish to dress attractively.

Conway Tearle (we can't forget his remarkable performance in Mr. Lloyd's last play, "Ashes of Vengeance," featuring Norma Talmadge) is splendidly cast as Lee Clavering.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Tom Mix catapulted his debonair and fearless screen self into the Columbia Theatre last night in a new William Fox production, "Soft Boiled," which was splendidly directed by J. G. Blystone from an original comedy-drama by him. With Billie Dove moving through the picture with bewitching charm and plenty of pretty girls to enliven and make unusual the cabaret scenes, Tom Mix has plenty of pulchritudinous support which is guaranteed to delight the most critical. The star hurtles from dynamic ranch life to that of a "soft boiled" shoe salesman, to the management of a roadhouse, and to the romantic deck of a yacht with the queen of his heart. The climax of "Soft Boiled" not only hoasts a fight that would stir the admiration and envy of a Dempsey, but it also consists of some dangerous climbs and leaps that give thrills in plenty.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE The master screen craftsman, David Wark Griffith, producer of the screen's greatest sensations, creator of the most advanced innovations in motion picture productions, finder and developer of the world's greatest screen stars, has produced another wonderful production, "The Love Flower," which is being heralded everywhere as a creation of exquisite beauty, haunting charm and spirited drama. United Artists Corporation recently announced its release, and the first showing of this newest Griffith production in this community was given at the Playhouse Theatre yesterday. Words of the most superlative degree and descriptions of the most laudatory nature have not been found to express in adequate terms this wonderful picture play of love and adventure such as only a Griffith, a master, may reveal in all its beauty, strength and excitement. Critics have pronounced it one of the most remarkable productions that has ever come from this master hand and fans everywhere have reveled in its beauty and excitement and heralded it as a production comparable only with the most wonderful that has come to the screen in the past few years.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"Six Cylinder Love," starring Ernest Truex.
Columbia—Tom Mix in "Soft Boiled."
Dominion—Gloria Swanson in "The Humming Bird."
Playhouse—Richard Barthelmess in "The Love Flower."
Royal—Corinne Griffith and Conway Tearle in "Black Oxen."

"THE HUMMING BIRD" SHOWING AT DOMINION

Large Audience Enjoys Initial Showing of Gloria Swanson's Latest and Greatest Production

Gloria Swanson in "The Humming Bird,"—a tuneful title—a colorful story.

It's a Sidney Oscott production for Paramount which opened at the Dominion Theatre last night. Miss Swanson is the star, with Edward Burns as leading man and Jacques d'Auray, Mario Majeroni, William Riccardi and others in support.

The story is an adaptation of the stage play by Maude Fulton. The star has the role of Toinette, a girl of the Paris underworld, leader of the Apaches, whose undaunted courage makes her a heroic figure during the dark days of the World War, when Paris was threatened with invasion. She falls in love with Randall Carey, representative of an American newspaper, this furnishing the motivation for the story.

Toinette in her dual role of the "Humming Bird" is a hunted creature. Every crime committed in the Montmartre section is credited to "him," for, to all but her intimates, the "Humming Bird' is an extremely clever boy. She is too much for the authorities, though. The girl does great work in enlisting her associates into the service of France, for which she receives the pardon of France for her crimes and is decorated with the Croix de Guerre, won by an associate, unfortunate on the field of battle.

COMPTON COMEDIANS PLEASE COURTENAY

Packed Houses Welcome Company at Island City—Players Acclaimed by Enthusiastic Audiences

COURTENAY, Feb. 4.—The Compton Comedy Players, who have been playing at the Galety Theatre here weekly for the past few weeks, are maintaining theatricals of a high standard with acting above the average. So far these players have appeared before packed houses, which is probably the best proof of the high quality of the entertainment they are providing.

The members of the Compton Comedy Players, with Mr. Francis Compton in the lead, include Miss Peggy Coucher, Miss Catherine McDonagh, Miss Peggy Dundas, and Messrs. Wilfred Bullock, Conway Dillingham, G. Gibson Gunn, Geo. Durham, James Kershaw, Herbert Leslie, A. Legge-Willis and Harry Yorkton, all of whom hail from Victoria.

Sq far "David Garrick" has been the most ambitious undertaking on the part of the Compton Players in Courtenay, and with Mr. Francis Compton as a very winning David, supported by a clever cast, Courtenay and district were treated to an entertainment quite above the usual. Mr. Cyril Maude's "Grumpy," which was played at the Galety last Wednesday, was very well received. As long as these players continue to give such good shows as they have so far presented they may be assured of a packed house and an appreciative audience in Courtenay. The Marshall Music Company has a plan of the Galety Theatre and has been doing an extensive business in booking reserved seats.

MAID OF MOUNTAINS FAMOUS FOR ITS CATCHY MELODY

All who love melodious music, a romantic story, well told, and clean comedy, attractively presented, will welcome the annuoncement that "The Maid of the Mountains" is to pay a visit to this city and will be seen at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 14, 15 and 16.

It will be remembered that on the occasion of the first visit of this famous comic opera, there was widespread public interest, in view of the enthusiasm with which it had been received elsewhere, and the reports that had come from overseas concerning its charms. There were found to be in no way exaggerated.

The company that will present "The Maid of the Mountains" here is fortunate in having as its primadonna a singer who comes with an exceptional cachet. Miss Ether Walker, is an Australian who has won fame both on the concert platform and on the stage, and she was especially selected for the role of Teresa by Mr. Oscar Asche himself when he made his production of "The Maid of the Mountain" in Australia.

"LUCK OF NAVY" SCORES SUCCESS AT PLAYHOUSE

While the war has been over for a number of years, the reception accorded the opening of Mr. Hincks' presentation of "The Luck of the Navy," in potted form, last evening, shows clearly that the day of the spy drama is not yet over. What the Monday night audience lacked in size it made up in enthusiasm, and it was gratifying to the performers to hear the rounds of applause tendered them. Mr. Hincks has been most fortunate in choosing this play for the opening of the new Super Shows at this popular theatre, as he and Mr. Legge Willis, who take the part of the baron, have both played in the production on tour with Mr. Percy Hutchinson. The cast has been most carefully chosen with a view to having each one in a character suited to their talents, and while the play is cut down to about one hour, it carries sufficient of the story to hold the interest of the audience throughout. "The Luck of the Navy" will be repeated each evening this week, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

Miss Allen's Tested Recipes

No. 83

Date Cake

(Children will like it. Though this cake will keep moist a long time, it is not too rich for simple occasions)

(All measurements level)

1 cupful brown sugar
½ cupful Crisco (scant)
2 eggs
½ cupful warm water
1½ cupfuls flour
1 teaspoonful soda
1 cupful stoned dates, cut fine
½ teaspoonful salt
½ cupful English walnuts chopped
1 teaspoonful vanilla

Cream together sugar and Crisco; add the eggs well beaten, the water, flour sifted with the soda, the chopped dates, walnuts, vanilla. Bake in a loaf about 1 hour in a moderate oven. Ice with boiled icing.

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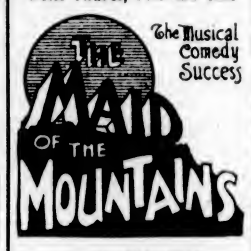

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

NASON—At 924 Oliver Street, City, on February 3, to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Nason, a son.

McMORRAN—On February 2, to Mr. and Mrs. George S. McMorran, at 2629 Avebury Avenue, a son.

DEATHS

McKINNON—Saturday, Feb. 2nd, Archibald McKinnon passed peacefully away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. Bellis, 1514 Cook Street.

There will be Mass at St. Andrew's Catholic Cathedral at eight o'clock Monday morning, cortege proceeding to nine o'clock train for interment at Nanaimo.

JESSE—The funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Jesse, Sr., who passed away last Friday, took place yesterday afternoon, at 2:30, Rev. A. deB. Owen officiating. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, consisting of every conceivable design, indicative of the esteem in which the deceased was held. Walter Hamilton, Robert and Herbert Alexander, the deceased lady's three sons, also Mr. R. H. Fort, a grandson, were the pallbearers.

IN MEMORIAM

ROBSON—In loving memory of W. M. Robson, who died February 9, 1923. Fondly remembered by his loving family, sisters and brothers.

IN MEMORIAM

ALLEN—In sweet and loving memory of John Albert Earl Allen, 1154 King's Road, who departed from us February 1, 1923. "Suffer little children to come unto Me, for such is the Kingdom of God." Gone but not forgotten by his parents, brothers and sisters.

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COMING EVENTS 1

A MASQUERADE dance in Colwood Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 5th. Good music. 9 to 1 Refreshments. Admission 50 cents. Six prizes.

A MILITARY 500 and Dance, Tuesday, Harmony Hall. 14 good prizes. 8.30 o'clock. Admission 35 cents.

A GINGHAM dance will be held at the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, Wednesday, February 6, at 9 o'clock. Tombola and refreshments, 25c. All welcome. Come and have a good time.

A MILITARY 500 and Dance, Harmony Hall, Tuesday. 14 prizes. 8:30 o'clock. Admission 35c.

AFTERNOON court whist, Wednesday, 2:30, 1250 Government Street. Scrip prizes. Afternoon tea.

COURT whist drive, tonight, 8.30, Social Hall, 1250 Government St. Scrip prizes.

COLONIST Hockey Club—Second Annual Dance, Thursday, February 7th, Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. Dancing 9 to 1. Findlay's orchestra. Admission 50 cents. Tickets on sale at Colonist, Times, Tip-Top Tailor, Fitz's Billiard Parlor, Findlay's Music Store, Government Street Market and Colonist players.

CONCERT, First Baptist Church, corner Yates and Quadra, Thursday, February 7th, 8.15 p.m., by Young People's Department of the Reformed Episcopalian Church.

C.P.R. SOCIAL CLUB, military 500, Empress Hotel, Wednesday, 8:30 p.m. Good scrip prizes. Admission 35c.

DANCE, Westholme Grill, Wednesday night. New popular orchestra. 8:30-12.

LADIES' Guild for Sailors—The regular meeting will be held on Thursday, at 2:45. Full attendance is requested.

LUXTON Hall—Masquerade dance, Thursday, February 7, dancing 9-1. Prizes: Ladies' and gents' comic advertisement; ladies and gents' sustained character; ladies' and gents' fancy, boys' and girls' fancy. Good music. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

MILITARY 500 and dance, Conservative Rooms, Campbell Bldg., Thursday, at 8:30 sharp. 14 scrip prizes and 10 free tombola prizes, including 200 lbs. sugar in 10 20-lb sacks. Mrs. Gleason's orchestra. 25 cents.

MILITARY 500, Drill Hall, Feb. 14th. Good prizes. Car given away.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BOY with wheel. Apply Reliable Auto Ex. Co., Blanshard and Broughton, Monday morning.

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WANTED—Capable middle-aged nurse-housemaid. Phone 6544.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to do cooking and general housework. Apply 757 Transit Road, Oak Bay.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

A YOUNG man wishes to hear of a position with chance of advancement. Phone 6390R.

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FOR farm—Young man, capable of taking responsibility and hard worker, ready to start now. Box 8529, Colonist.

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WORK for 1½-ton truck. Move anything. Estimates on carpenter work. Phone 7268Y2.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

ANY kind plain sewing and knitting done at home, including silk and wool sweaters, baby clothes, fancy work, etc. Phone 7611L1.

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G. C. HOWELL

106 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 7292

FOR Sale—Fruit and poultry ranch, 3.2 acres, of which there are 2½ acres orchard, ½ acre in strawberries, ½ acre in raspberries, 1½ acres ready for planting; poultry plant for 330 birds; barn for 2 head; six-roomed house, hot and cold water; 4-roomed cottage. Price $6,300, of which $2,600 cash, balance on mortgage. Close to pavement, 10 miles from City Hall. Further particulars.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.

622 Fort Street

FOR Sale—4-roomed cottage and just over one acre of cleared land, in first-class condition; near Saanichton, on main highway. Particulars, phone 2390.

CLOSING AN ESTATE

GIGANTIC ACREAGE BARGAIN—Five hundred and thirty acres, six miles from Victoria. Good roads through the property. Six-room house. Lake frontage. Splendid timber, estimated about thirty thousand cords. At least thirty acres of excellent bottom land in grass. Price $12,000; terms.

J. GREENWOOD

1236 Government Street

10 ACRES

$1000—INSIDE the 3-mile circle, Saanich district; well situated. Would make an ideal home site. Enough timber to pay for property.

F. F. HIGGS, 208 Pemberton Block.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

PHOENIX ASSURANCE CO., LTD.
(London, England)

4 ACRES IN OAK BAY DISTRICT

SITUATED on Richmond Road and all cleared. Soil is very good and there's quite a number of beautiful oaks. Also small cottage. Could be easily subdivided. Price is only $3,000. Terms.

MODERN BUNGALOW SITUATED AT CADBORO BAY

5 ROOMS, all modern, and three fireplaces; good cement basement; hot and cold water throughout; nice bathroom. Chicken house, garage, fruit trees and small fruits. Electric light. There is an acre of land. Property is pleasantly situated, and taxes are very light. Quite a lot of good granite work on the house and fence. Only $5,200, on terms.

IN THE COLWOOD DISTRICT

SITUATED on the Millstream Road, just off main paved highway. 3¼ acres of all level land, no rock. Soil is light. 2-room modern bungalow (new); electric light and water. Price only $3,130. Terms.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGY., LTD.

922 Government St. Phone 125

PEMBERTON & SON

Pemberton Bldg. Phone 338

A GOOD PRODUCER AND A GENTLEMAN'S HOME

30 ACRES, with about 12 under cultivation, balance is partly cleared, suitable for pasture. About 50 assorted fruit trees, bearing; small fruits of all kinds. A house of 7 rooms, with all modern conveniences. A small house for help. Barn for 5 head; poultry houses; garage and other outbuildings. Ample water supply for domestic use and irrigation. Excellent fishing and shooting. This property is nicely situated and will bear close inspection. The price includes a cabin on Cowichan Bay. Owner is in England and is open to consider any reasonable offer. Photos at our office.

WATERFRONTAGE

22 ACRES, all good land; about 12 in full bearing orchard, best market varieties, trees are all in excellent condition. 1 acre of strawberries, bearing. The balance of the land is in pasture. A dwelling of 7 rooms, with all modern conveniences. Packing house, barn, poultry houses; also small house for help. Beautiful flower garden and many rare ornamental shrubs. This is one of the best producers on the island, and a very pleasant place to live. Photos and other information at our office.

PEMBERTON & SON

Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents

622 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

POULTRY OPPORTUNITY

TOTAL PRICE $730

POULTRY RANCH, in full swing; 3 years' labor by owner goes for nothing. About 250 chickens, high grade stock, mostly Tom Barron strain. Almost new incubator, expensive lamp; contents of brooder and other houses, garden tools. Fine Jersey cow. $10 monthly buys 3¼ years' lease to 10 acres, lakefrontage, on which are splendid chicken houses and wire runs, providing accommodation for at least 600 birds. There is also a well-built 4-room bungalow, standing on eminence overlooking lake, which affords bathing, fishing, hunting. Almost all the contents of nicely furnished bungalow is included at the sale price of $730. The lease permits free use of adjoining 25 acres, which allows the keeping of 2 or 3 more cows. Fuel is free. Convenient walk to school, store and rail and bus service to town, on 10-mile circle. Butcher, baker and principal stores deliver. Victoria Realty Co., 216-17 Central Bldg. Phone 2026.

ELK LAKE SUBURBAN 5-ACRE RANCH $6,300

SITUATED on paved East Saanich Road, opposite Elk Lake. Slopes south and west. A very pretty property. Neat 3-room plastered bungalow cottage, with 2-3 bedrooms, newly installed modern 3-piece bathroom; big barn, garage and 1 acre wire chicken runs, with buildings built to government specifications. Entire property is well fenced and all under intensive cultivation. Gasoline engine pumps lake water into home and over the land. 1 acre in selected logans, ½ acre strawberries, 100 mixed fruit trees, all high grade, and heavy-bearing, all other small fruits. About 1 acre alfalfa and all garden produce. Owner has put over $10,000 into this property within past 3 years. Today it is in a high state of cultivation. This is, in our opinion, the greatest bargain in small holdings, and presents tremendous future possibilities, as Elk Lake is the coming suburban district. Immediate possession. Terms arranged. Our exclusive listing.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.

216-217 Central Bldg. Phone 2026

$4200—8 ACRES, on the 3½-mile circle; good six-room house; city water and paved roads to property. Easy terms.

$4200—3 ACRES, all under cultivation, good spring water; 3-room modern bungalow, chicken houses for 500 birds. Terms to suit you.

I have a client who has clear titled acreage on Prairie, with horses, implements, buildings, a going concern, in exchange for acreage here. Bring in your listings.

623 Yates St. E. E. HEATH Phone 274

$600—COWICHAN BAY waterfrontage; magnificent views, water supply. Grand building site. A HUGE SACRIFICE.

$1000—FIFTEEN acres, near Cowichan Station; all first-class land. IT'S A GIFT.

$2800—TEN acres of absolutely first-class land, cleared; six miles from city, paved road; adjoining depot. TERMS.

$3950—FIVE-ACRE chicken ranch; fruit trees, chicken houses. Modern house. Running stream. Complete with all house furnishings and flock of pure-bred chickens.

$5500—THREE miles from city, paved road. Five acres of magnificent land, all in cultivation; lots of small fruits. Modern bungalow, barns, etc. Would consider trade for first-class business.

HARRY AMPHLETT

212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5900

ACREAGE WANTED 43

WANTED—One acre and 3-room modern bungalow. Lake Hill. Box 6203, Colonist.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

A FULL-SIZED level lot, near Central Park, on half-mile circle, near Quadra Street. All taxes paid up. $250, or will build to suit purchaser. Reply to Box 6563, Colonist.

JUST LIKE A SMALL FARM

A PLACE where you can keep a cow or two and all kinds of chickens. Five-roomed cottage, basement, hot and cold water, 3-piece bathroom. Lot 60x167. All kinds of fruit. Barn, garage, poultry houses and runs. 1 cow, all the chickens; 1 ton hay, 1 ton mangels. All for $2,300. A couple of acres opposite can be rented for a small price to run cows. Robert Grubb & Son, Mahon Bldg., 1112 Government Street.

BUILDER'S SNAP—Double corner, beautiful location in Oak Bay, overlooking sea, in best residential district. $1,000. Builder's terms.

APARTMENT SITE—The finest apartment site in city, close to Parliament Buildings and new Amusement Centre, $6,000. Quarter cash takes this.

REALLY CHOICE—Building lot adjoining Uplands gate. All advantages and none of disadvantages of Uplands. Fine view of sea. A real sacrifice at $800.

See us with reference to your trading problems.

DUNFORD'S LIMITED

724 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 4512

CHOICE waterfront lots in best part of Oak Bay. Phone Harris, 2231.

FOR Sale—3 adjoining lots, clear, near Macaulay golf links and beach; water, light, sewer, phone; $350 for the bunch. Owner, Box 6590, Colonist.

GONZALES HILL section, adjoining expensive homes. A beautiful oak-studded homesite, 30x162, with view for miles 'round. Specially priced at $620 for quick sale. Victoria Realty Co., 216-17 Central Bldg. Phone 2026.

SHELBOURNE Street (just off), just outside city limits; very low taxes; electric light, city water, phone. 5 beautiful lots on hill slope, partly fenced. The place for cows and chickens. Total price, $67 each. Victoria Realty Co., 216-17 Central Bldg. Phone 2026.

$5000—WARM compact house, containing 6 rooms, bathroom; hot and cold water piped to kitchen, bathroom and 2 bedrooms. Standing in 10 acres, good garden, small orchard, barn, chicken houses. Close to station, store, golf links, Badminton and Tennis Clubs.

C. WALLICH

Real Estate and Insurance Agent

Cowichan Station E. & N. Railway

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44
(Continued)

LOW-PRICED LOTS

$1000—FOR splendid lot on Newport Avenue, close to golf links, nicely treed; running through to Linkleas; 50x180.

$450—ON OLIVER ST.—All ready to build on; 50x120, close to the Avenue.

$250—WATERFRONT LOT at Ten-Mile Point. Summer cottage site; spring of water; splendid view.

Apply

R. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.

Winch Bldg. 640 Fort St.

PROPERTY WANTED 45

WANTED—Lot, for cash; must be cheap. Give location. Apply Box 6093, Colonist.

FARMS WANTED 46

WANTED to buy from owner—Going concern, five to eight acres; modern house, within three miles of city. Small payment, easy terms. Box 5268, Colonist.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

POULTRY Farm for sale, 4 acres, with two cottages, garage, houses for 700 birds, brooder houses, etc. Price $1,275. Stock if wanted. Apply Edwin Lowe, Ladysmith.

SALE or Exchange—Ranch, ideal location, Okanagan Valley; cattle, dairy and fruit; 710 acres, unlimited range; 112 acres gold claims. Big snap. 1391 37th Ave. E., Vancouver.

FARMS FOR RENT 49

190-ACRE improved farm to rent in Saanich; good house and outbuildings. Apply J. Haldon, Saanichton P.O.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan on improved property. Dunlop & Foot, Barristers, 612 Sayward Bldg.

IN sums ranging from $250 to $30,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply P. R. Brown & Sons, 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1076.

MONEY to loan on improved property. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 606 View Street. Phone 55.

WANTED TO BORROW 53

WANTED—Loan of $3,000 on producing business property of value $12,000, for 3 years at 8 per cent, quarterly; insurance $5,000 to cover. Address Borrower, Box 5574, Colonist.

WANTED to borrow—$1,500 at 10 per cent. Good security. Box 5333, Colonist.

WANTED—To borrow $2,000 for one year; security acreage assessed value $3,200. Box 6027, Colonist.

PERSONAL 56

LADY, going to England soon, would give services in return for fare. Box 6240, Colonist.

TO Hunters and Trappers—We pay the full market value of raw seasoned furs. Old firm. 666 Johnson Street.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 103 Pemberton Bldg.

RYAN MACINTOSH TIMBER COMPANY, LIMITED, TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts. Crown grant or licence, in any part of the Province. 702 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

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Respectfully solicits the patronage of local residents in the lines of business hereunder mentioned:

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RALPH BERRILL, A.R.I.B.A., 4 Brown Block. Phone 2242.

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THE MECHANICAL MOTOR WORKS, 1284 Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 6644.

AWNING MAKER
GEO. RIGBY, 338 Fisgard Street. Phone 6462.

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JOHNSON BROS., 2744 Avebury Street. Phone 4736.

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CARPENTER AND BUILDER
EVANS & GREEN, 1270 Dallas Road. Phone 6322X.

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H. CLARKE, 413 Central Building. Phone 1363.

ELECTRICIANS
FOX & MAINWARING, Pemberton Building. Phone 6311.

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H. E. HUNNINGS, 319 Central Building. Phone 4424.

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NICHOLSON & WILLIS, Sooke Harbor Hotel.

INSURANCE
W. J. BRICK, 207 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 1670.

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Names of five Legal Firms may be obtained from the President. Phone 2272.

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ORCHESTRA AND BAND
A. RUMSBY, 5th Regiment Band. 251 Niagara Street.

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T. H. RENDELL, 1620 Bay Street. Phone 4276Y.

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VETERANS' PLUMBING COMPANY, Fort and Langley. Phone 6311.
R. J. COSTELLO, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 2070X.

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TENDERS FOR HAULING

Tenders for immediate hauling 100 cords wood from Mt. Newton Cross Road and load ing scow, Saanichton Wharf; also 100 cords from McKenzie's Farm, Sooke Road, to Cooper's Cove, Sooke Harbor.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.

604 Fort Street

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

The first session of the Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll for the year 1924 will be held at the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, on Friday, February 8th, 1924, at 7.30 p.m.

G. H. PULLEN, Assessor.

NOTICE

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY COMPANY

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next Session for an Act extending the time for the completion of the following lines of railway which it was authorized to construct by Statute of Canada, 1910, Chapter 62, namely:

(a) A Railway from a point between Port Alberni and Bainbridge on the Company's railway from Parksville Junction to Port Alberni, thence in a northwesterly direction via Great Central Lake and the valley of the Ash River, to Comox Lake.

(b) A Railway from a point on the above-described railway at or near Sproat Lake, via Sproat Lake and the Taylor River, to Long Beach on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Dated at Vancouver this 31st day of January, 1924.

A. F. ARMISTEAD, Secretary.

Prominent Torontonian Dead

TORONTO, Feb. 4.—George R. Wilson, 59, street commissioner for Toronto, died today.

AUCTION
City Market Auction Rooms
Tuesday and Friday
TODAY AT 2 P.M.

Jersey-Holstein Cow

Four years old, with month-old calf at foot, Chickens and Poultry, Vegetables, quantity fine Hothouse Lettuce.

Quagliotti & Co.
646 Fisgard St. Phone 2484

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers

Instructed by the owner, we will sell by Public Auction at the residence 1141 Caledonia Avenue,

Today, 1:30 P.M.

Extra Well-Kept Mahogany and Oak

Household Furniture and Furnishings

Including: Three - piece Mahogany Parlor Suite, with loose Plush Cushions; Mahogany Centre Table; Mahogany Jardiniere Stand; Pictures; Curtains; Portieres; Oak Morris Chair; Marble-Top Centre Table; Grass Arm Chairs; Edison Cylinder Phonograph and Fifty Records; Oak Office Chair; very good Carpets; 2 good Dining Tables; Dining Chairs; 2 extra good Sideboards; very good inlaid Linoleum; Crockery and Glassware; Couch and Cover; very good Steel Heater; Stair Carpet; 3 very good Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses; very good Mahogany and other Dressers and Stands; extra good Toilet Sets; Bedroom Tables; Chairs; Curtains; Camp Cot; 6-Hole Charter Oak Range; Cooking Utensils; Kitchen Tables; Kitchen Chairs; Wash Tubs; Carpenters' Tools; Spray Pump; Garden Tools; Mower; good Hose, and Wheelbarrow, etc.

This house is between Cook and Chambers Streets. Take Fernwood Car, No. 3, to Chambers Street. Now on view.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers Phone 837

MAYNARD & SONS
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed, we will sell at our Salesroom, 727-733 Pandora Avenue, on

Wednesday, 1:30

Furniture and Furnishings

Cottage Piano, Organ Good Carpets

and nice Parlor, Dining-Room and Bedroom Furniture, usual Kitchenware, Steel Ranges, Garden Tools, lot of Paints, etc. Full particulars later.

Also our usual sale of Poultry at 11 o'clock.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers Phone 837

MAYNARD & SONS
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by the Owner, we will sell, at the Residence,

1248 Denman St., Cor. Spring Road, on

Thursday, 1:30 P.M.

all the

Household Furniture and Furnishings

Full Particulars Later
On View Morning of Sale.

Take Fernwood car (No. 3) to terminus, walk down Fernwood Road to Denman Street.

MAYNARD & SONS
Auctioneers. Phone 837

BARTHOLOMEW'S
1410 Douglas St. and 1115-17-19 Fort St.
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We have to reduce our large stocks
So our prices are on the rocks.
And, when looking around the town,
You'll find our prices very low down.

Quality Right, Prices Right, Terms All Right

Largest Selection of Used Furniture in B.C.
Phone 2272 and 1611

Special Offer

"New Furniture for Old." Trade in that old furniture and get something new and modern in its place.

Cash or Credit

HOME FURNITURE CO.
Fred Bartholomew
712 Fort St. Phone 5119 Ritz Bldg.

Finance and Commerce

UPWARD SWING OF STOCKS CONTINUES

In Spite of Profit-Taking on N.Y. Exchange, General List Maintains Move to Higher Prices

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Stock prices moved upward with renewed vigor in today's active session, despite intermittent profit-taking and an occasional bear attack against such issues as Davison Chemical and American Can, which closed at net losses of 3¼ and 2¼ points, respectively. Buying was stimulated by new increases in crude oil and raw sugar prices, reappearance of four per cent call money, and the optimistic utterances on the steel outlook by Sir Robert Horne, former Chancellor of the British Exchequer, who is on his way home after an extended visit to this country.

Low-priced rails assumed the leadership of the upward movement soon after the market opened.

New Leaders Invoked

When the rails showed signs of faltering in the late wave of profit-taking, new leaders were brought forward. Standard Oil of California closed nearly 2 points higher.

A sudden outburst of strength in Baldwin, just before the close, sent shorts scurrying to cover and carried this stock up nearly 5 points.

United States Steel common touched 108, the highest since last April, and then sagged to 107⅝, up ⅝ on the day.

Most of the sugars touched new highs on the current high movement in expectation of materially increased earnings this year. High-grade rails were not neglected. Pronounced activities in Japanese bonds, based on reports that the contract for the Japanese loan has not been signed and that the issue would be long term 5½'s, today sent the price of some issues up more than a point. The heavy turnover of these bonds combined with broadening activity in the low priced railroad issues featured the day's market.

(Supplied by Local Stockbrokers Over Direct New York Wire.)

	High	Low	Close
Rails			
A., Topeka & Santa Fe	101⅝	101½	101⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	116⅝	116	116⅝
Baltimore, Ohio	58⅝	58½	58½
Canadian Pacific	149⅛	148¼	148¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	76¼	75¾	76¼
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	16⅞	16⅝	16⅞
Chicago North West	53⅛	52⅞	53⅛
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	26½	26⅛	26½
Erie	28	27⅝	28
Erie 1st pfd.	34⅞	34⅝	34⅞
Kansas City Southern	21	20⅞	20⅞
Miss., Kas & Texas	13⅛	12⅞	13⅛
Missouri Pacific	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Missouri Pacific pfd.	35⅝	34⅝	35⅛
New York Central	105⅝	105⅛	105⅝
N.Y., N.H. & Hartford	20½	19⅜	19⅞
Norfolk and Western	106⅝	..	106⅝
Northern Pacific	55⅝	54½	55⅝
Pennsylvania	44⅛	44	44
Pere Marquette	41⅞	44	44
Pittsburg & W. Virginia	44⅞	44⅛	44⅛
Reading	57⅛	56⅛	57⅛
St. Louis & San Fran.	23⅜	22⅝	22⅝
St. Louis & S. Western	42⅞	41⅝	42⅞
Southern Pacific	89	88⅞	88⅞
Southern Railway	48⅝	47⅛	48⅝
Texas Pacific	23⅛	23	23
Union Pacific	130⅝	130⅛	126⅝
Wabash & "A"	43⅛	42	42⅛
Motors			
Chandler Motor Co.	64½	64	61
Continental Motors	7⅝	7½	7⅝
Hudson Motor Co.	27⅛	..	27⅛
Mack Truck	89	..	89
Maxwell Motors	53	..	53
Moon Motors	25⅞	..	25⅞
Packard Motor Co.	11⅝	..	11⅝
Pierce Arrow Motor Co.	10⅝	..	10⅝
Studebaker	105⅞	104	105⅛
Willys-Overland	12⅞	12⅝	12⅞
Hayes Wheel	52⅛	..	52⅛
Accessories			
Kelly Springfield Tire	25⅝	..	25⅝
Stewart Warner Co.	94⅝	94	94
Timken Roller Bearing	41	40⅝	46⅝
U. S. Rubber	38½	38	38
Sugars			
American Beet Sugar	44½	44	44
American Sugar Ref.	57	..	57
Cuba American Sugar	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar	16⅞	16⅝	16⅞
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd.	68½	68	68⅝
Tobaccos			
American Tob. Co.	154⅝	..	154⅝
R. J. Reynolds Tob. Co.	72¼	..	72¼
Tob. Products	70½	70	76¼
Tob. Products "A"	90⅛	89⅛	90⅛
Coppers			
Anaconda	38⅝	38½	38½
American Smelters	60	59⅝	60
Cerro de Pasco Copper	47½	47¼	47½
Chile Copper Co.	27½	..	27⅛
Chino Copper	18	..	18
Great Northern Ore.	21¼	21	21¼
Inspiration Copper	26⅝	..	26⅝
International Nickel	14⅛	..	14⅛
Ray Cons Copper	11⅝	..	11⅛
Utah Copper	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝
Kennecott	36⅝	..	36⅛
Equipments			
Baldwin Locomotive	127¼	124½	126⅝
Lima Locomotive	67½	..	67½
Pullman Co.	124⅛	..	131⅞
Steels			
American Steel Fdy.	39⅝	38⅞	38⅞
Crucible Steel	70¼	69⅛	70¼
Gulf States Steel	86⅝	..	86⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	62½	..	62½
United States Steel	108	107⅝	107⅝
Vanadium Corpn.	31⅝	31½	31⅝
Oils			
Associated Oil	33¼	..	33¼
California Pets	26⅝	25½	25⅝
Cosden Oil	38½	37⅝	38⅝
Houston Oil	79½	76	79½
Marland Oil	40	39¼	40
Middle States Oil	6¼	..	6¼
Pacific Oil	57⅝	56⅝	57⅝
Pan American Pets	50¼	49¼	50⅛
Pan American Pets "B"	47⅝	46⅝	47⅛
Phillips Pete	41	39⅝	41
Prod. & Refiners	42	41⅛	41½
Pure Oil	25⅝	25⅛	25⅝
Royal Dutch	59⅛	58⅛	58⅛
Shell Union Oil	19⅛	19⅛	19⅝
Sinclair Oil	23	22⅛	23
Skelly Oil	28⅞	..	28⅛
Standard Oil, Cal.	67⅛	68⅝	67
Standard Oil, N.J.	41⅝	41½	41½
Texas Co.	45	41⅞	45
Standard Oil, Ind.	67½	..	67¼
Industrials and Miscellaneous			
Allied Chemical	72¼	71⅛	72¼
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	49⅝	..	49⅝
Amn. Intl. Corpn.	21⅝	..	21⅝
American Can.	121⅛	119¼	119⅝
Amer. Car Fdy.	171	..	171
Amer. Radiator	105	104⅝	103
Amer. Tgh. & Tele.	128½	..	128⅛
Amer. Woolens	72⅝	71⅞	72⅝
Austin Nicholls	27¼	27	27
Comptg & Tabig.	103	100½	103
Cons. Gas	65¼	..	65½
Continental Can.	57⅝	57⅛	57⅝
Corn Products	179⅝	..	179⅞
Davidson Chemical	49	48¼	49
Dupont Powder	139⅝	136½	139⅝
Endicott Johnson	64⅛	65	63
General Asphalt	44⅛	..	44½
Industrial Alcohol	82⅝	82	82
Intl. Mer. Mar. pfd.	33⅝	..	33⅝
Intl. Paper	39¼	38⅞	39⅛
National Biscuit	63	..	53
National Lead	148	..	118
Savage Arms	33	54⅝	53½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	63	..	62
Westinghouse Elec.	62⅞	..	63⅝
Western Union	111½	..	111½

Sterling, 4.33½; francs, 4.68; lire, 4.37.

CHICAGO WHEAT GOES TO NEW HIGH LEVEL

Touches Dollar Thirteen, and Closes Just One Cent Below the Top Figure

(By British-American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Further advances were scored in all the grains today. Wheat was by far the strongest, going to new highs for this movement. There seemed to be quite a lot of selling when May wheat reached 113 on account of profit-taking, but the market did not lose much ground, closing half a cent below the top. Corn holds back. There seems to be plenty of corn for sale on strong spots, but not enough to break the market. It would appear that corn would break easily should there be a setback in wheat, but the action of wheat suggests higher prices before any material setback.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	111⅞	113	111⅞	112⅝
July	111⅛	112⅛	111⅝	111⅝
Sept.	110⅝	111⅞	110⅝	111⅝
Corn—				
May	80½	80⅞	80⅛	80½
July	80⅛	80⅞	80⅛	80⅛
Sept.	80½	81⅛	80⅝	80⅝
Oats—				
May	49	49⅝	49	49¼
July	47⅛	47⅝	47⅛	47⅛
Sept.	43⅝	43⅞	43⅝	43⅛
Rye—				
May	74⅛	74¼	74	74⅛

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Mining		
Boundary Red Mountain	..	.20
Bowens Copper	..	.10
Coalmont Collieries	..	20.00
Cons. M. & S.	34.00	..
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.02
Dunwell Mines	2.25	..
Granby	14.00	..
Hazelton Gold-Cobalt	..	.02
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.65
Howe Sound	2.75	3.00
Indian Mines	.30	.40
International Coal	.11	.15
Liberator Mining Co.	..	.05
McGillivray Coal	.65	.75
Premier Mines	2.00	..
Sheep Creek Consolidated	..	.00½
Silver Crest Mines	..	.03
Silversmith	..	.34
Snug Cove Copper	..	.03
Standard Silver Lead	..	.20
Sunloch Mines	..	.23
Surf Inlet Gold	..	.15
Oils		
Athabasca Oil	..	.10
Boundary Bay Oil	.00 1-16	.00¼
Empire Oil	.00 7-16	.00⅝
Pitt Meadows	..	.02
Spartan Oil	..	.08⅝
Sweetgrass	.00 11-16	.00⅞
Trojan Oil	.04⅝	.05¼
Utility Oil	..	.00⅛
British Pete	1.00	..
Miscellaneous		
Allen Theatre pfd.	24.00	..
B. C. Perm. Loan	94.00	100.00
C. P. R.	150.00	156.00
Canada National Fire	..	3.50

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	102.40	102.40
1933, 1st May and Nov.	101.80	105.80
1937, 1st June and Dec.	107.80	108.30
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1925, 1st June and Dec.	100.45	101.45
1931, 1st April and Oct.	100.60	101.60
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept. (payable New York)	102.45	102.45
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1924, 1st May and Nov.	100.40	101.40
1927, 1st May and Nov.	101.20	102.20
1932, 1st May and Nov.	102.00	103.00
1934, 1st May and Nov.	102.25	103.25
Dominion Loan, 5%		
1928, 15th April and Oct.	99.25	100.25
1943, 15th April and Oct.	99.75	100.75

NEW YORK COTTON

(By British-American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Mar.	34.34	34.64	34.20	34.64
May	34.30	34.96	34.20	34.95
July	33.23	33.46	33.23	33.43
Oct.	28.13	28.67	28.10	28.60
Dec.	27.80	28.10	27.80	28.10

RAW SUGAR

(By British-American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close.
Mar.	5.57	5.55	5.57
May	5.65	5.63	5.65
July	5.70	5.69	5.70
Sept.	5.75	5.73	5.75
Spot	..	..	5⅝

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Copper quiet. Electrolytic, spot and nearby 12⅝c; futures 12⅝c to 13⅛c.

Tin firm, spot and nearby $50.

Iron steady. No. 1 Northern $22 to $24; No. 2 Northern $23.50; No. 2 Southern $22.50 to $23.

Lead steady, spot $8.15 to $8.50.

Zinc steady, East St. Louis, spot and nearby $6.60.

Antimony, spot $10.50.

At London

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Standard copper, spot £70 12s 6d; futures £71 10s. Electrolytic, spot £66 15s; futures £66.

Tin, spot £251 7s 6d; futures £251 7s 6d.

Lead, spot £33 17s 6d; futures £32.

Zinc, spot £35 2s 6d; futures £34 5s.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Sterling exchange easy at $4.28⅝ for 60-day bills and $4.30⅝ for demand.

Canadian dollars 97 3-32.

At Victoria

Buying, 4.43⅝; selling, 4.46⅝.

LARGE VOLUME OF TRADE IN WHEAT

Winnipeg Market Active Throughout Yesterday's Session, and Good Line of Business Passing

WINNIPEG, Feb. 4.—Today's session of the local wheat market was active throughout, with a larger volume of trade worked than for some days past. At the close May registered a gain of ⅝ cent and July ⅝ cent.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	103⅝	104¼	103⅝	104b
July	105	105⅞	105	105⅝b
Oats—				
May	44⅝	44⅞	44⅝	44⅝b
July	45⅛	45½	45¼	45⅝b
Barley—				
May	63⅝	66⅝	65⅝	66⅝b
July	64	64½	64	64⅝a
Flax—				
May	230	236⅝	230	235⅞b
July	230	235	230	235b
Rye—				
May	71⅝	72¼	71⅝	72⅛b
July	..	..	..	72⅛b

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 99⅝; 2 nor., 96⅝; 3 nor., 92½; No. 4, 88¼; No. 5, 81½; No. 6, 77; feed, 73½; track, 100⅛.

Oats—2 cw., 41⅛; 3 cw., 39, extra 1 feed, 39⅛; 1 feed, 37⅞; 2 feed, 35⅞; rejected, 33½; track, 41⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 66⅛; 4 cw., 60⅝; rejected, 57⅝; feed, 56⅝; track, 66⅛.

Flax—1 nwc., 230⅞; 2 cw., 226⅝; 3 cw. and rejected, 205⅞; track, 231⅛.

Rye—2 cw., 68⅛.

MONEY MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Call money easier; high 4½; low 4; ruling rate 4½; closing bid 4; offered at 4¼; last loan 4.

Time loans firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4⅝; 4-6 months, 4⅝.

Prime commercial paper, 4⅝.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	61-2
Asbestos	28
Bell Telephone	127
National Breweries	54-5
Mackay Co.	112-6
Ogilvie Milling Co.	306-5

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Bar silver 64¼. Mexican dollars 49c.

CANADIAN PACIFIC EARNINGS

MONTREAL, Feb. 4.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for the week ending January 31 were $4,262,000, an increase of $24,000.

Parliamentary Agent To Represent Depositors

TORONTO, Feb. 4.—Home Bank depositors will have a parliamentary agent at Ottawa during the coming session of the Dominion House. The national committee, of which W. T. J. Lee, of this city, is chairman, is in communication with H. H. Higginbotham, of Calgary, regarding his appointment as parliamentary agent. Mr. Higginbotham will remain at Ottawa during the whole of the session, and will watch the interests of the Home Bank depositors, who will have petitions before parliament providing for the payment of the losses incurred by depositors and shareholders. The protection fund organized to carry on the fight on behalf of Home Bank depositors is being well subscribed, it is stated.

Excellent Chances In Bear River District

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—Referring to the rush now in progress from Mayo to the newly-discovered silver region of Beaver River district in the Yukon Territory, W. E. Cockfield, of the Geological Survey, states that silver-lead ores have been discovered at many points, and with much of the area still unprospected, there is an excellent chance that further discoveries will be made. The district is fairly accessible, being within a few miles of territory already prospected and partly worked.

AUSTRALIA'S NEW LOAN

MELBOURNE, Feb. 4.—With reference to the report in The Melbourne Herald that the Federal Government is contemplating the issue of a loan of £25,000,000 at six per cent, the Acting Premier, Dr. Page, states that the loan will be of an indefinite amount, redeemable at varying periods, and subject to Commonwealth taxation, but free from State taxation.

ALBERT HEAD PEN LEADS EGG LAYERS

The weekly report, Week No. 13, ending January 30, of the Vancouver Island egg laying contest conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station, Sidney, is given below. Column "W" gives the total weekly pen production, and Column "T" the total number of eggs for the pen to date. * Leading pen:

	Breed	W	T
O. Thomas, Sidney	W.L.	28	382
P. G. Stebbings, Pender I.	W.W.	18	321
R. H. W. Clowes, Sidney	W.L.	25	429
S. Percival, Pt. Wash'ton	W.W.	24	378
R. T. Vyvyan, Saanichton	W.L.	16	458
Elderton Bros., Royal Oak	W.W.	28	*579
A. Georgeson, Albert Head	W.L.	*39	465
L. G. Herchmer, Colwood	W.W.	18	390
R. F. Matthews, Metchosin	W.L.	29	392
J. S. Daies, Cobble Hill	W.W.	20	313
W. H. Barker, Sidney	W.L.	12	272
W. Robbins, Victoria	W.L.	20	290
W. Bradley, Langford	W.L.	25	356
G. C. Golding, Qualicum Beach	B.R.	21	328
E. Gwynne, Sidney	W.L.	16	340
J. S. Nelson, Sidney	W.W.	24	356
A. Adams, Victoria	W.L.	4	158
H. C. Cooke, Lake Hill	R.I.R.	28	307
A. D. McLean, Colwood	W.L.	27	490
Dean Bros., Keating	W.W.	20	413
W. Russell, Victoria	W.L.	33	414
H. B. Cunningham, Shawnigan Lake	W.W.	26	330
A. V. Lang, Victoria	W.L.	33	389
F. E. Barker, Duncan	W.L.	31	439
R. McKenzie, Victoria	W.L.	26	396
W. J. Gann, Courtenay	W.L.	31	342
W. P. Hurst, Sidney	W.L.	37	378
R. S. A. Jackson, Duncan	W.L.	26	510
G. C. Golding, Qualicum Beach	W.L.	28	491
J. J. Dougan, Cobble Hill	W.L.	20	368
Reade & King, Cowichan Station	W.W.	36	486
Experimental Stn., Sidney	W.W.	28	508
Experimental Stn., Sidney	W.W.	22	427
Experimental Stn., Sidney	W.W.	12	387
		895	13445

FORMER PRESIDENT TO BE BURIED TOMORROW

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west. But there could be no questioning of her wishes and it was so arranged, despite the very great feeling in many quarters that a solemn and impressive public display of mourning should follow the service at the house.

Final Arrangements

As the plans stood tonight there was little still to be arranged beyond the precautions necessary to keep the way clear from the house to the cathedral. It is scarcely more than a mile up the broad sweep of Massachusetts Avenue to the grey stone edifice that even in its incompleted stage justs boldly against the western skyline of the city.

Along the roadway soldiers, sailors and marines will be stretched to aid the police in keeping back the crowds, and these and the twenty-four non-commissioned officers marching beside the hearse will be all that the United Services can do to honor the bier of this former Commander-in-Chief.

The Bethlehem Chapel lies beneath the main floor line of the Cathedral of which only the imposing eastern facade is yet in place. Within the Gothic circle of stone work is the sanctuary with the nave and the north and south transepts still to be erected. All about are the temporary structures of the builders, but directly beneath the sanctuary lies the crypt chapel.

Died at 11:15 A.M. Sunday

The former President of the United States died at 11:15 a.m. yesterday after hovering for two days between life and death. The end came peacefully.

Plans for the funeral of former President Wilson announced today by Dr. Grayson provide for a brief service at the street residence at 3 p.m. on Wednesday.

This service will be followed by another at 3:30 o'clock at Bethlehem Chapel in the Cathedral at Mount St. Albans, where the body will be placed in a vault until arrangements have been made as to a final resting place.

The Rev. James H. Taylor, pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church, which Mr. Wilson attended during his residence in Washington, probably will deliver the funeral sermon.

The real cause of Woodrow Wilson's death was a stroke of paralysis which followed his collapse in the late Summer of 1919. Like Warren G. Harding, he was stricken while on a speaking trip in the West.

Up to the time of his collapse the country thought him a normally healthy man, but he was far from it. He entered the White House with a well-developed start toward Bright's disease, which caused his physicians to predict that he never would finish his first term. But by careful devotion to his doctor's orders he fought off the malady. He was practically blind in one eye from a retinal hemorrhage, which came while he was still at Princeton University, but the country never knew it. Years before he had suffered a thrombosis—a blood clot in his arteries, but it was in one of his legs, and never developed any serious trouble. The same thing in his brain later on laid him low and led to his death.

Concealed Nature of Illness

By his own personal directions the exact nature of his fatal illness was concealed from the world for months because he feared public knowledge of it, while he was President, might lead to a stock market panic and possibly far-reaching consequences to a world then passing through the first stages of post-war reconstruction. Some of the details came out piecemeal and over a long period of time. Others have not been hitherto published. It is appropriate, therefore, to give them now that he is dead.

The first indication of serious illness came during the night of September 25, 1919, while the President's special train was between Pueblo, Colo., and Wichita, Kan., coming eastward on the return part of his speech-making trip.

Dr. Grayson was summoned, and, to his horror, found Mr. Wilson prostrate on the bathroom floor. In a semi-conscious conditon, he had fallen as if wounded in the left leg, with the member crumpled under him on the bath mat.

Blood Clot on Brain

A two-hour consultation determined that Mr. Wilson had suffered what is medically known as a cerebral thrombosis—a blood clot in one of the blood vessels in the right side of his brain. Its effect was to impair the motor nerves of the left side as well as the sensitory nerves. For the next week Mr. Wilson hovered between life and death, Mr. Wilson insisting that his condition be kept secret.

Meanwhile the secrecy which surrounded the details of the President's illness gave rise to complications.

When Mr. Wilson finished speaking at Pueblo that afternoon he was exhausted and covered with clammy perspiration. Soon after midnight he complained of feeling ill, and Dr. Grayson found him in a state of nervous breakdown, with the right side of his face twitching, as it often had done before when he was very tired or worn out.

Physicians Alarmed

But the physician was alarmed and shocked to note a drooling of saliva from a corner of the President's mouth and also a drooping of the facial muscles on the left side. Recognizing that a stroke of paralysis was impending, Dr. Grayson warned Mr. Wilson of his grave condition; strongly suggested that he cancel the remainder of the tour and immediately return to Washington; and, in conclusion, that he try and get some sleep.

"I won't be able to sleep at all, doctor, if you say I must cancel the trip," Mr. Wilson responded. "Even if giving my own life would accomplish this object, I would gladly give it."

The physician quieted his patient as best he could and took steps to cancel the remainder of the speaking engagements and bring the President to Washington.

About four o'clock on the morning of October 5, Mrs. Wilson heard the President in the bathroom calling in a weak voice.

Congress wanted to know whether he had suffered a constitutional disability to perform the functions of his office. Mr. Wilson and his wife were determined that Congress should not find out. Members of the Cabinet found it fruitless to ask for an audience in the sick room.

Some of the members who were not in accord with the policy of secrecy determined to force things a little. Secretary Lansing, then at the head of the State Department, called a Cabinet meeting and quizzed Dr. Grayson and Secretary Tumulty about the President's condition. Mr. Lansing, however, was not supported by the other Cabinet members, as he probably had no reason to expect he would be, and the attempt to get some information failed. This incident, undoubtedly, was the principal factor in Mr. Wilson's abrupt dismissal of Mr. Lansing later when he learned of it.

The agitation in Congress finally came to a head, and it was determined to "find out whether we have a President or not."

Much to their surprise, the Senators were ushered into the sick room, where the President shook hands with his right hand, fumbling with some documents with his left, and discussed conditions with marked mental agility.

That demonstration exploded the rumors that Mr. Wilson was a maniac, unconscious, a prisoner, or so disabled that he was unable to talk business. It demonstrated, however, that he was still a sick man, showing a remarkable display of "sand."

The inside of the matter was that a remarkable will power, careful nursing and skilful medical attention had been showing their effects. All three served to prolong the sick man's life; they enabled him to walk again with the aid of a cane, which he thereafter facetiously referred to as his "third leg," and they enabled him to use his left hand and arm to some extent, although when he appeared in public he generally hooked his left thumb in a buttonhole of his coat and supported his disabled arm in that manner. His disability in walking he later referred to as his lameness.

After many weary months in bed, Mr. Wilson got back strength enough to sit at his desk, dictate letters, preside at an occasional Cabinet meeting and go motor riding; but the constitutional breakdown left its mark upon him and made him almost a shadow of his former self. He left the White House an invalid, whom doctors said might live "five minutes, five months, or five years," and despite the fact that he had his ups and downs, his tenacious hold on life was the marvel of all the specialists who attended him.

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RUSH PLANS FOR BEER PLEBISCITE

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considerable work in the transfer of electors in existing ridings which, or part of which, will, under the new plan of redistribution, be added to other ridings. For instance, the Oak Bay list will be incorporated into that of Victoria, as the former district, under redistribution, will form part of the Victoria riding. One list will be prepared for the new riding of Cowichan-Newcastle. On the Mainland, similar transfers will have to be made in a number of ridings and new lists will be made for new ridings, such as MacKenzie, Creston, Richmond-Point Grey and others.

Registrars for the various ridings are now being appointed. Mr. Mabon, registrar for Victoria for a number of years past, will again carry on the work of registration in this riding.

Under the act passed at the recent session the question to be put before the electors will be: "Do you approve of the sale of beer by the glass in licensed premises, without a bar, under Government control and regulation?"

Following the taking of the poll throughout the Province, the provisions of the act amending the Liquor Act providing for the granting of licences for the sale of beer by the glass become applicable in those districts where an affirmative vote is given. In other words, as the act now stands it provides for the principle of local option being applied in respect of the coming plebiscite.

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English Mahogany Wardrobe	49.00
Choice Mahogany Dresser	36.00
Mahogany Buffet, bevel mirror	39.00
Chesterfield and Arm Chair	89.00
New Fumed Oak Dining Set	65.00
8-ft. Oak Pedestal Dining Table	25.00
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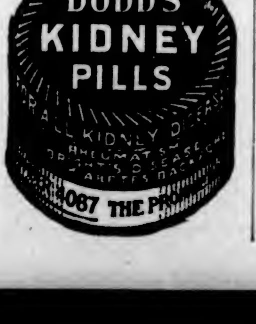

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Marine and Transportation

TRAVELS FAR FOR A SINGLE STORY

Mr. R. V. Oulahan, New York Times Reporter, on Return Half of 8,000-Mile Journey to Philippine Islands to Secure Facts of Sensational Rise to Fortune of General Wood's Son, is Passenger on President Madison

ILLUSTRATIVE of the fact that expense never stands in the way of a modern metropolitan newspaper when a point of accuracy is at stake, Mr. Richard V. Oulahan, of The New York Times, arriving in Victoria this morning as a passenger on the President Madison, is making the return half of an 8,000-mile journey to the Philippine Islands to ferret out for his paper the facts of a single story.

About three months ago a rumor became current in New York that Lieutenant Wood, son of General Leonard Wood, the American governor of the Philippines, though separated from the New York Stock Exchange by the broad expanse of the North American continent and the thousands of miles of Pacific Ocean, had yet cajoled out of Wall Street a fortune of a million dollars.

The New York Times assigned Oulahan to the task of discovering what truth had given birth to the rumor. He turned first to the New York financial world. Then he pursued his inquiries amid the social worlds of New York and Washington. The result was a vast mass of gossip, much of it conflicting. From the whole Oulahan selected what he considered to be the truth of the affair and wrote the story. Briefly it was as follows:

Made Big Haul

The young lieutenant, after studying the stock market for a considerable time, prompted by genius or a timely tip, had invested in a large block of Standard Oil shares just before the company decided to cut a very fat melon of dividends. The value of his holdings promptly rose and Wood found himself a winner by a tremendous sum. He had continued to play the stock market by cable from Manila and eventually had amassed a fortune of $800,000.

Oulahan was sure of his interpretation of the facts; but, nevertheless, The New York Times insisted on verification of the story and sent him all the way to Manila to have them corroborated.

Arriving there and finding his original story was true, Oulahan cabled to his paper to publish it, and thus was effected one of the outstanding newspaper "scoops" of the past year.

Oulahan has spent over two months and The New York Times thousands of dollars to secure one story for the paper.

On learning of his son's stock gambling activities General Wood immediately commanded that they cease, and, a little later, ordered his son's return to the United States. Lieutenant Wood has since resigned his commission in the United States army.

With a total of 391 passengers, raw silk and silk goods valued at $7,000,000, and 1,800 bags of mail, the Admiral Oriental liner will arrive at William Head at 9:30 o'clock this morning. She will probably dock at the Ogden Point piers about an hour and a half later to discharge 100 tons of general cargo.

Prominent Passengers

Passengers aboard the President Madison include the following: Lieut. L. H. Bean, wife and daughter, returning to Washington, D.C., after four years' survey work in the Philippine Islands; R. A. Burroughs, manager Vacuum Oil Company at Samarang, returning home on vacation; D. A. Glass, manager Standard Oil Company at Haiphong, returning home on vacation; Jos. T. Hardeman, manager Hardeman Hat Company, Seattle, returning from business trip in the Orient; M. M. Kalaw, dean, University of the Philippine Islands, en route to Washington, D.C., on business; H. T. Krull, agent, Admiral Oriental Line, Shanghai, returning home; R. V. Oulahan, correspondent New York Times; W. J. Shanahan, Oriental manager J. C. Whitney & Co., importers, of Chicago, returning to Chicago on vacation; H. Laville, manager Stone & Webster for Japan, en route to New York on business; A. G. Vanderpool, traveling auditor for the Standard Oil Company; H. A. White, manager Vacuum Oil Company at Saigon, returning home on vacation; S. Hoshino, wholesale shoe merchant of New York, returning to New York after a six months' visit in Japan; S. Takayama, secretary, Department of Agriculture of Japan, en route to Washington, D.C., on business.

CANADA WILL RACE U.S. POLAR FLIGHT

Captain Bernier to Command Government Exploration Vessel—To Protect Titles to Islands

QUEBEC, Feb. 4.—Canada is to provide competition to the United States polar expedition by the dirigible Shenandoah next Summer, but it will be by water. Captain Bernier, noted Arctic explorer, left here yesterday for England, where he is to take charge of the steamer Franklin, acquired by the Federal Government. Captain Bernier will sail for the Arctic direct from Portsmouth.

It is understood that a number of new posts will be established on the northern islands, and it has even been said that the Dominion Government is considering the advisability of sending a number of special representatives north next Summer to take formal charge of the islands already discovered, thereby eliminating the possibility of the titles reverting to a foreign power.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Britisher left Kobe for Vancouver, February 1.
Canadian Freighter left Yokkeichi for San Pedro, January 24.
Canadian Highlander left Vancouver for Yokohama, January 18.
Canadian Importer arrived Auckland, February 1.
Canadian Inventor left Brisbane for New York, December 15.
Canadian Prospector arrived Avonmouth, January 31.
Canadian Seigneur arrived Genoa Bay, January 31.
Canadian Scottish arrived Yokohama, January 19.
Canadian Skirmisher left Panama for United Kingdom, January 8.
Canadian Transporter arrived Vancouver, January 15.
Canadian Traveller left Wellington far Vancouver, January 31.
Canadian Winner left Glasgow for Vancouver, January 25.
Canadian Farmer arrived Ocean Falls, January 30.
Canadian Observer arrived Vancouver, January 30.
Canadian Rover arrived Vancouver, January 28.
Canadian Trooper left Vancouver for Astoria, January 30.
Canadian Volunteer arrived San Francisco, January 30.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha freighter, Kaga Maru, will arrive at William Head tomorrow morning with a large cargo of general merchandise from the Orient.

TERMS OF LIQUOR TREATY EXPECTED

FINAL DECISION OF CANADIAN GOVERNMENT IS PENDING

Expected Canadian Customs Men Will Notify Americans of Suspected Rum Shipments to States

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—The final decision of the government regarding the recent negotiations between Canada and the United States on the rum running situation may be expected shortly. The matter is now before the cabinet council and the agreement will in all probability be announced simultaneously from Ottawa and Washington.

One of the features of the agreement will probably be that Canadian customs officers along the border will be instructed to notify the officers of the United States of the clearance of liquor shipments which they have reason to believe are for the United States. Canada will have the right to transfer liquor into the Yukon across Alaska.

FURNESS-PRINCE IS NOW FURNESS LINE

Furness-Withy Company Has Taken Over Service to United Kingdom From North Pacific Ports

The steamship service between the United Kingdom and Victoria hitherto known as the Furness-Prince Line, will in future be carried on under the name of the Furness Line, having been taken over by the Furness-Withy Company, it was announced yesterday.

The Furness Line will continue to operate two vessels a month from the United Kingdom to North Pacific ports. The Prince freighters which have formerly been included in the service, will either come here in future under charter, or will be transferred to another route entirely.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

TACOMA, Feb. 4.—Arrived: Donna Lane, San Pedro; Golden Gate, Dupont; Nordco, New York; El Capitan, Doylestown; F. S. Loop, San Francisco. Sailed: Edward Luckenbach, New York; Nordhav, Seattle; Golden Gate, San Pedro.

SEATTLE, Feb. 4.—Arrived: Nordhav, Edward Luckenbach, Seirstad, Victoria, Tacoma; Richmond, Richmond; Admiral Watson, Northwestern, Southeastern Alaska; Golden Gate, Doylestown, San Francisco. Sailed: Admiral Farragut, San Francisco; Northwestern, F. S. Loop, H. G. Grove, motorship Donna Lane, Tacoma; Rio Azul, Toyooka Maru, Vancouver.

CORDOVA, Feb. 4.—Sailed: Alaska, southbound.

KETCHIKAN, Feb. 4.—Sailed: Cordova, Latouche, southbound; Nabesna, northbound.

BELLINGHAM, Feb. 4.—Arrived: Whitney Olsen, San Pedro; Makena, San Francisco. Sailed: Carnia, Seattle.

EVERETT, Feb. 4.—Arrived: Admiral Farragut, Tacoma; Margaret Dollar, Henry S. Grove, Seattle.

PORTLAND, Feb. 4.—Arrived: Admiral Evans, A. F. Luckenbach, Callio, San Francisco; Sidney M. Hauptman, Puget Sound. Sailed: West Cahokia, West Camargo, Puget Sound; W. S. Porter, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—Arrived: Majava, Honolulu; Northland, Everett; Liebre, Seattle; Australien, Hamburg; Spectator, Liverpool; Iowa, Tacoma; Makiki, Baltimore; Brookings, Astoria. Sailed: Cascade, Seattle, Rose City, Portland.

WEATHER REPORTS

Estevan—Rain; southeast, fresh; 25.74; 47; rough.
Pachena—Overcast; southwest; temp. 43; moderate swell.
Cape Beale—Cloudy; west; 29.70; 46; moderate swell.
Carmanah—Cloudy; southeast, light; 29.66; moderate swell.
Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.56; 43; choppy.
Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; 25.76; 50; rough.
Alert Bay—Rain; misty; calm; 29.20; 45; smooth.
Ocean Falls—Rain; southeast; 25.60; 48; rough.
Bull Harbor—Cloudy; calm; 29.60; 40; smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Rain; calm; 29.60; 40; smooth.
Digby Island—Rain; southeast, fresh; 29.22, 44, heavy swell.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
FEBRUARY

Time of Sunrise and Sunset Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1924.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:44	5:10	16	7:15	5:35
2	7:43	5:11	17	7:17	5:35
3	7:41	5:13	18	7:16	5:38
4	7:55	5:15	19	7:14	5:25
5	7:37	5:17	20	7:12	5:41
6	7:56	5:13	21	7:11	5:45
7	7:24	5:20	22	7:09	5:44
8	7:55	5:25	23	7:07	5:46
9	7:21	5:24	24	7:05	5:47
10	7:25	5:28	25	7:03	5:46
11	7:57	5:27	26	7:01	5:51
12	7:26	5:29	27	6:55	5:55
13	7:24	5:31	28	6:57	5:55
14	7:23	5:52	29	6:55	5:57
15	7:21	5:24			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
FEBRUARY

Day	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1					16:22	5.5	13:47	1.8
2					11:20	5.8	19:35	1.5
3	5:05	5.2	7:12	3.1	12:11	5.5	25:16	1.2
4	5:25	5.2	5:14	7.8	13:01	5.2	20:57	1.5
5	5:56	3.3	9:10	7.4	12:50	8.5	51:37	1.8
6	5:21	8.5	10:05	7.0	14:40	3.5	22:15	2.4
7	5:45	3.5	10:53	6.6	15:32	7.9	22:54	5.1
8	6:12	8.4	11:56	6.1	16:35	7.5	25:51	5.6
9	6:40	8.5	15:00	5.7	17:40	5.7		
10	5:57	4.7	7:15	5.8	14:55	5.3	16:52	5.2
11	0:33	5.6	7:46	8.5	15:07	4.3	21:13	5.1
12			2:23	5.5	18:04	4.5	23:50	5.1
13			9:53	5.5	16:55	4.5		
14			9:42	2.4	17:45	3.5		
15			10:17	5.4	18:24	3.1		
16			10:51	5.4	19:52	2.7		
17			11:25	2.5	19:25	2.3		
18	5:18	8.0	7:37	7.8	12:05	8.5	25:13	5.1
19	5:54	7.3	2:13	7.4	12:46	8.5	50:48	5.0
20	4:19	7.8	9:51	7.5	13:27	8.5	51:58	5.5
21	4:22	7.5	5:45	5.4	14:36	3.3	25:05	2.5
22	4:54	3.0	10:33	5.3	15:40	7.9	25:42	5.1
23	5:25	8.1	11:55	5.2	15:45	7.5	25:18	5.2
24	5:53	8.2	12:52	4.7	13:06	7.0	25:54	4.7
25	5:26	5.4	12:23	4.0	15:32	5.7		
26	0:25	5.5	5:58	8.6	14:57	5.5	21:55	6.6
27	1:54	5.6	7:53	2.7	15:32	3.0		
28			3:14	5.8	16:35	2.6		
29			5:04	5.8	17:26	2.4		

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

Shipping Calendar

To Arrive

Manila Maru, from Yokohama, Feb. 5.
President Madison, from Orient, Feb. 5.
Hawaii Maru, from Orient, Feb. 5.
Kaga Maru, from Orient, Feb. 5.
Spectator, from Liverpool, Feb. 14.
Tyndareus, from Orient, Feb. 17.
Alabama Maru, from Orient, Feb. 24.
Iyo Maru, from Orient, Feb. 25.
Empress of Russia, from Orient, Feb. 25.

To Sail

Empress of Asia, for Orient, Feb. 7.
Niagara, for Australia, Feb. 8.
President Madison, for Orient, Feb. 14.
Kaga Maru, for Orient, Feb. 20.
Iyo Maru, for Orient, Mar. 10.

LAST VOYAGE

Making her last voyage in the Admiral Line's service from Puget Sound, via Victoria, to California ports, the Ruth Alexander arrived from the South last night at 6:30 o'clock, with a large cargo and passenger list. She sailed for Seattle at 8 o'clock.

LIGHTHOUSE BOUGHT BY RICH WOMAN TO FOIL TRESPASSERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 4—The famous old Sand Point lighthouse on Long Island, a familiar beacon to mariners for many years, was bought yesterday by Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont from the Federal Government for $100,000 at public auction, her bid being the only one received. The lighthouse has been replaced by an automatic signal placed farther offshore and adjoins Mrs. Belmont's property on Sand Point. A route to a public bathing beach passed over the lighthouse property and Mrs. Belmont's estate and it was understood the trespassers annoyed her. The Secretary of Commerce must approve the sale before it becomes effective.

CHART DISAGREES WITH SOUNDINGS

SHALLOW SPOT PERTURBS VANCOUVER MARINERS

Speculation Rife as to Nature of the Latest Obstruction to Be Found in Vancouver Harbor

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—It was discovered on Friday that at a point where the chart shows 17 fathoms in Vancouver harbor, a considerable distance off the sugar refinery dock, there is but 5 1-2 fathoms. Whether it is a rock or a sunken wreck is not yet known.

The discovery was made by the officers of the Royal Mail Steam Packet liner Loch Katrine, now in the stream. She went there to anchor, dropped her hook in 17 fathoms, cast her lead, and found that under the ship was only 5 1-2 fathoms.

The Government steamer Lillooet took exhaustive soundings of the harbor for two seasons, recently, and issued the recent chart of depths.

It shows 102 feet where the Loch Katrine leadsmen find but thirty-three feet. It is possible the hump, which is now called the "Loch Katrine Bank," may be an ancient wreck. It is possible it may be a rock pinnacle. Also it might be the hull of some craft sunk in the past two years and driven there by the tide. It is remembered now that when the steamer Sealda lost her anchor in the harbor, near the seventeen-fathom patch, her grapnels caught something that was thought to be the anchor, but upon being raised to the surface proved to be an old boiler.

SEATTLE AGENT TO MOVE TO HONG KONG

Mr. E. F. N. Sturdee, General Passenger Agent for C.P.R., Will Assume Post in Orient

SEATTLE, Feb. 4.—E. F. L. Sturdee, for the last five years general agent of the passenger department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, with headquarters at Seattle, received notice today of his appointment as acting passenger agent for the same company at Hong Kong, China.

He will leave Seattle for his new post of duty on February 7, on which date he will sail from Vancouver, B.C., on the liner Empress of Asia for Hong Kong.

Sturdee came to Seattle five years ago from Boston, Mass., where he served for several years as a passenger official. Previous to going to Boston he was assistant district passenger agent at Toronto. He is a native of St. John, N.B. He will leave many friends in Seattle, for while here he has been active in civic and fraternal circles. This afternoon he had not heard who is to succeed him in the Seattle office.

COUNTRY TURNS CONSERVATIVE

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production profitable by extension of markets and removal of existing disabilities." In Alberta, he pointed out as a sample of Progressive legislation, there are no fewer than eleven kinds of charges which can be placed against a property ahead of a mortgage, and under a law recently enacted, a sale of the property can be held without notice to the mortgagee. Such a state of affairs is creating alarm, and is preventing the investment of much outside capital so necessary for the development of the provinces.

"Ontario is organized to the limit," said Dr. Tolmie, who cited the remarkable reception tendered to Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, at London, by the West Ontario Liberal-Conservative organizations, and later, one to Mr. Meighen at Ottawa.

The retirement of Sir Lomer Gouin from the Federal Cabinet, and Hon. Mr. Fielding's illness, have proven a serious blow to the present Liberal administration at Ottawa, said Dr. Tolmie, who said they were the two brainiest members of the Cabinet. Sir Lomer's retirement, while ascribed to illness, was generally believed to have been his objection to any entry into the Cabinet of Western Progressives, with whom Premier King, of late, has been flirting. Hon. Mr. Fielding's absence would be generally regretted, as he is very highly respected by all parties in the House, who recognize him as a man of wide experience and ability.

Markets Needed

Hon. Dr. Tolmie stated that he and other leaders of the Conservative party have been impressing upon the Prairie farmers that they must concentrate their efforts on securing markets if they wish to succeed in an agricultural and industrial way. Among the disabilities now felt by the people of those provinces are the high freight rates. The farmers, he holds, should have the opportunity of getting their products to market by the shortest and cheapest route, and in this regard the route via the Pacific Coast will play a most important part. He is of the opinion that the traffic in wheat this way has only commenced, and will be greatly accelerated by the lowering of freight rates.

The Conservative espousal in the House of Commons of the freight rates question, and of various measures needed to develop Western agriculture, has been largely responsible, Dr. Tolmie held, for the success of the party's organization plans in the Prairie Provinces. Free trade, he said, is not the big issue on the Prairies, but rather freight rates, and the Conservative stand on that issue has met with wide-spread approval there. In the Federal House, it was General Clarke, Conservative member for Vancouver, who presented a resolution demanding better treatment of the West in the matter of rates, one seconded by himself (Dr. Tolmie), and which received the whole-hearted support of the Conservative Opposition.

Tide Turning

At the next Federal election, the Liberal-Conservatives would win many seats in Quebec, prophesied Dr. Tolmie, who also claimed a sweeping majority in Ontario and a turnover on the Prairies. Mr. Crerar's failure to secure Cabinet rank in the King Cabinet, he stated, was due to the former's insistence that Mr. A. B. Hudson, of Winnipeg, should also be taken in; this, too, in the face of the fact that Manitoba's capital is already represented in the person of Hon. Dr. McMurray, the new Solicitor-General.

Hon. Dr. Tolmie will spend a week of two in this Province before leaving for the East to resume his Parliamentary duties, which will commence on the 27th inst. While here, he will confer with Provincial party heads. He will attend, on Thursday night, a meeting of Conservatives at New Westminster, at which Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., head of the Provincial party; Hon. Mr. H. H. Stevens, and Mr. W. G. McQuarrie, M.P., will be present and give addresses. He has been addressing meetings from East to West in all the provinces, and everywhere, he avers, the party's prospects are becoming more and more bright.

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In order to have the help reach Canada in time for the Spring operations farmers needing help should arrange to get their applications in early, the earlier the better, as naturally those applications which are received early will receive first attention.

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OLD MAN DECLARES HE WILL NEVER DIE

EXPECTS TO DRY UP AND BE BLOWN AWAY BY WIND

Ninety-Two-Year-Old Parker White Recites Own Poetry to Impromptu Callers at Lonely Cabin

NANAIMO, Feb. 4.—Mr. Parker White, a well known resident of Cedar district, has just celebrated his 92nd birthday anniversary.

Mr. White came to the district 54 years ago, and with the assistance of a few neighbors, since deceased, blazed the first trail from the district to Nanaimo, a distance of ten miles. Despite his advanced years, he is hale and hearty, takes long walks and does his own farming. He was at one time owner of the property where the Speedway Hall now stands.

When Mr. White hears of the death of an oldtime friend in the district, he becomes very boastful and declares that he will never die, but instead will dry up and be carried away by the wind.

He was born in Sussex, England, in January, 1831, and lived for a time in Ontario, when it was known as Upper Canada. He purchased a cattle ranch from the United States Government during the Civil War, and later came to British Columbia and settled in Cedar district, where he lives alone in a little cabin near Cassidy.

He claims he rarely gets lonesome, and often has impromptu callers to whom he recites poetry from his own pen.

Saanich Teams Win Basketball Games

SAANICH, Feb. 4.— Basketball teams from the Boy Scouts, Victoria, and the West Road Athletic Club, of Saanich, had their first contest of the season in an exciting game played at the West Road Hall on Friday evening. A large number of spectators were on hand to witness the match. The junior's game was well played, and although the home team was a little two heavy for the Boy Scouts five, the final victory was not easy to secure. The score was 46-34 in favor of West Saanich.

In the senior contest the West Road five got well away in the first half, and in the middle of the second period they were still several points ahead. By this time, however, the visitors were more at home and probably another five minutes would have given them the game, as the score was just 43-41 in favor of West Saanich when the whistle blew.

The junior line-up was as follows: Boy Scouts — Maddiford, Wright, forwards; E. Peden, centre; Robertson and Killick, guards. West Road—Raines and Shiner, guards; Rice, centre; Anderson and Davis, forwards.

Seniors, Belmont S.S.—Johnson and Tervo, forwards; W. Peden, centre; Griffith and Gandy, guards. West Road—M. Lannon and Peden, forwards; Renouf, centre; Tubman and Styan, guards. Claude Sluggett substituted for V. Raines in the second half of the junior game. The referee for the juniors was W. Peden, Jr. Art Petch referred the senior game. Following the game the players adjourned to the dining-room where supper was served by Mrs. Myra, Mrs. Thomson and Mrs. Petch.

Port Alberni Homes Bought by Newcomers

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Adams and family, who recently arrived from Regina, have purchased a home on Fifth Avenue and will in future reside here. Mr. Benjamin Hillis has purchased a home on Ninth Avenue and will move here with his family in a few weeks.

Mr. Walter Sharp has purchased the Stevenett residence at the head of Angus Street. Mr. and Mrs. William Stevenett will shortly move to Victoria to take up their residence in that city.

The Beaufort Hotel on Third Avenue has been sold to Mr. Charles Clarke, who will take charge of the premises on March 1. The present management, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wyatt, will remain in charge until that date.

NAMED VETERANS' LEADERS

COURTENAY, Feb. 4.—The local branch of the Great War Veterans' Association held its annual meeting in the Agricultural Hall last week. Capt. G. R. Bates, who has presided over the local branch of this organization for the last four years, would not consent to stand for re-election. The following officers were elected for the year: President, Comrade C. E. Beasley; vice-president, Comrade H. S. Baker; secretary-treasurer, Comrade G. B. Capes; executive committee, Comrades A. Grist, Wm. Farley, W. B. Harris, H. It. Treherne and Val Tayelor.

She Could Not Do Her House Work

Mrs. E. Ouellet Tells of Dodd's Kidney Pills

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Lovely Costumes Mark Deep Cove Masquerade

DEEP COVE, Feb. 4.—The masquerade dance held Friday night in the club hall by the Deep Cove Social Club was a great success. There was a large number present and the costumes were very beautiful.

The lady who won the first prize, Mrs. J. Roberts, was beautiful in a Turkish costume of pale mauve silk with silver sash, a pearl headdress and a long flowing tulle veil. The second prize "lady," Mr. "Spike" Thomson, wore a South Sea Island costume. The first prize for comic ladies was won by Miss E. Butler as "Aunt Jemima." Mr. Nelson Musgrave, as a crusader, carried off first honors for the gentlemen, Mr. Wilson Armstrong winning second prize as an Indian. Mr. F. Smith, in a Chinese costume, won the comic prize for gentlemen.

Others in costume were: Mr. Jamie Armstrong, as a lady in full evening dress; Mrs. S. Roberts, as a Turkish lady; Mrs. A. Bowman, in a Kate Greenaway costume; Major R. Layard, as an Arab chief; Miss Irene Frost, a dainty little Folly; little Dorothy Calvert, a sweet little popcorn lassie, and Mr. J. Roberts, toreador.

The supper was in the capable hands of Mrs. A. Calvert, assisted by Mrs. J. Peck, Mrs. Cresswell, Mrs. D. Simpson, Mrs. Thomas and Mr. F. Lindesay. The music was supplied by Mrs. Gleason, of Victoria, and Mr. H. Robinson, Mrs. McLean playing the supper dances.

CARD PLAYERS MEET

SAANICH, Feb. 4.—The fortnightly card party given by the South Saanich Women's Institute at the Temperance Hall, Keating, on Saturday night, was attended by more than fifty persons. Twelve tables were occupied in the game of military five hundred. The following ladies and gentlemen won first prizes: Miss L. Hafer, Mrs. McMullen, Mr. Amey and Mr. F. Michell; second prizes, Mrs. Gold, Miss Jean Russell, Mr. Sutton and Gordon Michell. Mrs. Gale won a gift by securing the lucky chair. Supper was served, after which dancing was indulged in for the remainder of the evening, several volunteer musicians kindly giving their services.

LADIES ENTERTAINED

SAANICHTON, Feb. 4.—A most enjoyable evening was spent in the Agricultural Hall on Friday night when the Mt. Newton Lodge A.F. and A.M. entertained the Ruth Chapter, Eastern Star, and their friends to an "at home." The Shriners' Band of twenty-five pieces rendered a splendid concert, their selections being interspersed with vocal solos, a Scotch reel danced by four ladies to the skirl of the pipes, and a violin solo. Supper was served to the guests by the hosts, after which dancing was kept up until a late hour.

DANCE ENJOYED

ROYAL OAK, Feb. 4.—In spite of inclement weather on Friday night the fortnightly dance under the auspices of the Royal Oak Basketball team was a decided success. Good music was provided by Holt's orchestra and supper provided by the ladies' committee.

SOCIETY DISCUSSES VIVISECTION MATTERS

Matters of interest to the members of the Anti-Vivisection Society were discussed by the board at a meeting held last week. The International Conference, with which the society is affiliated, forwarded resolutions which received the support of the board. The same organization, with headquarters in New York, forwards regularly descriptions of animal experiments to date and which leave no doubt as to the suffering endured. The question of Dominion amalgamation was deferred pending information.

A letter from the society to the Department of Public Health asked why the exemption clause for persons opposed to vaccination was not recognized in a recent outbreak of smallpox in the district, such exemption being legal. Information as to the use of anti-toxin and its results was also produced and similar information was given about insulin.

The growth and enthusiasm of Canadian societies is a matter for congratulation, and considerable correspondence is maintained by all the branches. The board heard with pleasure of the formation of a second society in Australia, at Sidney, the first being at Melbourne.

Lieut-Commander Hon. J. Kenworthy, M.P. for Hull, England, wrote in appreciation of a letter of sympathy from the board in his recent illness. Commander Kenworthy is a forcible supporter of the cause in the British House of Commons, and two bills for the withdrawal of public funds for vivisection, and the total abolition of vivisection, will probably be presented in the British House this year. The board has heard, with pleasure, that the new Prime Minister of England, Ramsay Macdonald, is a vice-president of the British Union for Abolition of Vivisection. Sir Frederick (now Baron) Banbury, is a consistant supporter of the Dogs' Exemption Bill. The Canadian societies stand for the total abolition of vivisection, and the prohibition of public funds for vivisectional research.

It was decided to hold a public meeting in the near future in the city. Touching tribute was paid to the memory of the Rev. Stevenson, one of the foremost supporters of the movement and a member of the local board.

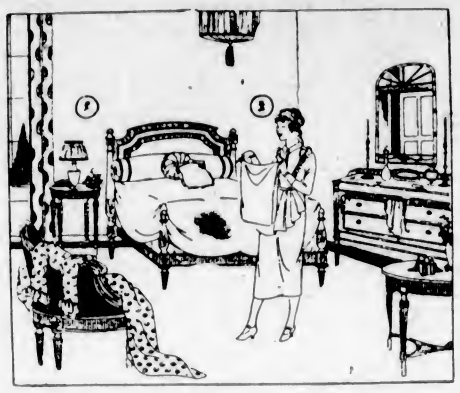
R.C.M.P. Conclude World-Wide Man Hunt

WILLIAMS LAKE, B.C., Feb. 4.—Members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police concluded a man-hunt which was conducted during the past year over Europe by the Danish Government and throughout the Dominion by the R.C.M.P., when they effected the arrest of Lars Peter Peterson, at Lightly, formerly Quesnel Forks. Peterson, it is alleged, is wanted in Denmark on a charge of absconding with 100,000 kronen, about $16,000 at current rates of exchange. Further instructions will be awaited from the Danish Government.

BEST QUALITIES | **DAVID SPENCER, LTD.** Store Hours—9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Wednesday to 1 p.m. | SUPERIOR VALUES

February Home-Furnishings Sale

Great Reductions in Carpets, Furniture and Draperies



Bedroom Suites

On Sale Today

Six Bargains

A Seven-Piece Ivory Enamel Bedroom Suite, consisting of dresser, chiffonier, bed, dressing table, bench, chair and rocker. Regular $220.00 value. Reduced to **$169.00**

A Seven-Piece Ivory Enamel Bedroom Suite, including dresser, chiffonier, bed, vanity dressing table, bench, chair and rocker. Regular $245.00. On sale for **$218.00**

A Six-Piece Solid Oak Bedroom Suite includes dresser, chiffrobe, bed, dressing table, bench and rocker. Regular $225.00. On sale for **$189.00**

A Five-Piece Grey Enamel Bedroom Suite, consisting of dresser, chiffonier, full size bed, dressing table and bench. On sale, **$119.00**

A Five-Piece Bedroom Suite of quartered oak, in golden finish. It consists of dresser, chiffrobe, Simmons steel bed, finished to match, a cable spring and white felt mattress. All for **$155.00**

A Seven-Piece Bedroom Suite, includes dresser, chiffrobe, vanity dressing table, bench, a Simmons square steel tubing bed, with coil spring and Spencerian mattress. Complete for **$175.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Complete Bed Outfits at Reduced Prices

Walnut Finish Beds, made with 2-in continuous posts, fitted with coil springs and all-felt mattresses. Sizes 3 ft. 3 in. and 4 ft. An outfit complete for **$31.00**

White Enamel Steel Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts. These are fitted with double woven wire springs, with band supports and all-felt mattresses, with roll edge. Sizes 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. Price complete is **$27.50**

White Enamel Beds, with 1½-inch continuous posts, fitted with double woven wire springs, with band supports and all-felt mattresses. Size 4 ft. 6 in. Complete for **$24.50**

Ivory Enamel Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts. Each of these is fitted with a double woven wire spring with band supports, and an all-felt mattress. All standard sizes. A complete outfit for **$26.50**

White Enamel Beds with continuous posts and double woven wire springs with band supports; good grade mattresses with cotton top and bottom. On sale for **$21.00**

White Enamel Bed, with 1 1-16-inch posts, with brass knobs. It is fitted with woven wire spring and mattress with cotton top and bottom. Size 4 ft. 6 in. Three pieces for... **$15.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Plaid Wool Nap Sheets, blue plaid only; size 66 x 80 inches. Regular $4.75. On sale for **$3.95**

English Twill Flannelette Sheets, a bargain; size 60 x 80 inches. Regular $3.75. On sale for **$2.85**

Blankets and Sheets, on Sale Today

Pure Wool Blankets, made from selected long staple yarns; all sizes for all beds. 64 x 84 inches. On sale, a pair **$7.95**

60 x 86 inches. On sale, a pair **$8.95**

72 x 84 inches. On sale, a pair **$9.95**

—Staples, Main Floor

Simmons Steel Beds, in Wood Finish, at February Sale Prices

Steel Beds with square continuous posts and centre panel in cane effect; walnut finish. Size 4 ft. 6 in. On sale, **$21.75**

Steel Beds, with square continuous posts and five upright fillers; all standard sizes. Walnut finish. Priced to go at, each **$18.75**

Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts and five upright fillers; all standard sizes, white or ivory. On sale at **$13.90**

Beds with 1½-inch continuous posts and six upright fillers; 4 ft. 6 in. size. White enamel finish. Each **$11.90**

White Enamel Beds with continuous posts and oval fillers. All standard sizes. On sale at **$9.50**

Steel Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts and upright fillers; 4 ft. 6 in. size, finished in walnut or mahogany. On sale at, each **$15.50**

Steel Beds, with continuous posts and upright fillers; walnut finish; all standard sizes. On sale at **$13.75**

Steel Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts and centre panel of cane effect; white or ivory finish. Size 4 ft. 6 in. On sale at, each **$15.90**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Empress Decorative Art Rugs $15.00 Value for $10.75

Art Rugs, reversible, with plain centre and decorative border with fringed ends. The shades are blue, grey, rose and mulberry. Size 4 ft. 6 x 7 ft. 6. Regular $15.00 values for **$10.75**

—Rugs, 2nd Floor

Choice Curtian Nets on Sale Today

Many Real Bargains

Finest Imported Curtain Nets, including filet and all-over nets. Exclusive designs and choice period patterns; 45 and 50 inches wide. Regular $2.95. On sale for, a yard **$1.98**

Curtain Nets, including designs suitable for all rooms. A very fine selection. Regular $1.25 value. On sale, a yard ..... **95¢**

Choice Scotch Nets, 36 and 40 inches wide; a fine choice. Values include lines regular 65c and 75c. All on sale at, a yard ..... **50¢**

Scotch Nets, all-over designs, plain or scalloped borders, many designs; 36 inches wide; white, ivory or ecru. Regular 45c values on sale for, a yard ..... **33¢**

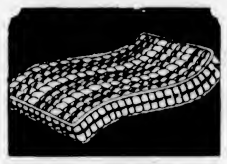
—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Curtain Fabrics Voiles and Marquisettes at Half Price

36-inch Fancy Marquisette or 36-inch Grenadine, in white, ivory or ecru. An exceptionally fine curtain fabric. Regular $1.65. On sale, yard, **80¢**

Fine Voile, 36 inches wide, in cross-bar design. A fine quality in white, ivory and ecru. Regular value $1.10 a yard. On sale for ..... **55¢**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor



A Sale of Mattresses At $5.90, $7.75 and $10.90

Three Bargains

Mattresses, made with cotton top and, bottom, and fibre centre. These are covered with excellent grade ticking. All sizes. While they last, each **$5.90**

All-Felted Mattresses, well made, and covered with good grade art ticking. They are finished with roll edge and shown in all standard sizes. On sale at **$7.75**

White Felt Mattresses, guaranteed not to lump, and covered with heavy art ticking; finished with roll edge. On sale, each, **$10.90**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Lace Curtains On Sale Today Value $1.95 At, a Pair, $1.29

An extra special offering of Imported Scotch Lace Curtains, showing three excellent designs; 36 and 40 inches wide and 2½ yards long. Value $1.95. On sale, a pair **$1.29**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Odd China At Sale Prices

Paragon China Cups and Saucers, 5 designs. Regular 75c value, on sale for ..... **50¢**

Plain Brown and Fancy Rockingham Teapots, 5 and 6-cup sizes. Regular $1.35 for ..... **98¢**

Plain Glass Berry Bowls. Regular 65c for, each ..... **50¢**

White and Gold Band Porcelain Cups and Saucers. Special, 6 for **$2.25**

Oddments in White and Gold Dinnerware, at special prices. Cups and Saucers, each ..... **25¢**

8-Inch Plates ..... 6 for **$1.49**

Soup Plates ..... 6 for **$1.29**

Fruit Saucers ..... 6 for **69¢**

Salad Dishes, each ..... **45¢**

Sugars, each ..... **50¢**

Bakers, each ..... **45¢**

Creams, each ..... **25¢**

Platters, each ..... **50¢**

—China, Lower Main Floor

Spencer's Upholstered Furniture Odd Pieces and Suites Marked Low to Clear

Upholstered Furniture, our own make, representing the highest quality in workmanship and materials.

Louis XV Reception Chair, hand made throughout, the back and front legs handsomely carved. The back is upholstered panel, relieved by choice carving; all hair filling and spring seat; it is covered with fine Sundour damask. Regular $200.00. On sale, **$100.00**

Large Size Upholstered Chair, with loose kapok cushions and seat; deep spring seat and back, hair filling, and upholstered with striped denim. Regular $90.00. On sale **$50.00**

Extra Large Round Back Chair, with Marshall spring cushion, spring back, arms and seat; hair filling, and upholstered with white material. Big value. Regular $75.00. On sale for **$50.00**

An Upholstered Rocker with deep spring seat, back and arms; it has hair filling and is covered with high-grade tapestry. On sale at **$69.00**

A Large Size Chesterfield with pillow arms, three loose cushions, deep spring back, arms and seat. It has hair filling and covered with high-grade tapestry. Regular $175.00. On sale for **$145.00**

A Two-Piece Chesterfield Suite, upholstered with fine figured mohair relieved by plain panel, showing the best workmanship and materials. The two pieces, formerly $375.00, on sale for **$235.00**

—2nd Floor

Japanese Jute Hearthrugs on Sale at $1.75 Each

Japanese Jute Hearthrug, 24 x 48 inches, in bright Oriental colors and designs. Attractive Rugs, and big value at February Sale Price. Each **$1.75**

—Rugs, 2nd Floor

Linoleum Reduced for the February Home-Furnishings Sale

Heavy Printed Linoleum, made in Canada, and shown in a full selection of designs, including carpet, matting, block and tile patterns. A design suitable for every room. On sale, a square yard ..... **89¢**

Scotch Printed Linoleum, world famed for its beauty and long wearing qualities. Regular $1.15. On sale, a square yard ..... **98¢**

Inlaid Linoleum, with designs through to the canvas back. Included in these Linoleums are patterns from the Greenwich, Stain's and Scotch factories. On sale, a square yard **$1.84**

—Linoleum, 2nd Floor

Dining-Room Furniture of Finest Oak on Sale Today

A 9-Piece Quartered Oak Dining-Room Suite, consisting of buffet, large china cabinet, round top extension table, one arm and five small chairs. Shown in Old English finish. On sale, **$289.00**

An 8-Piece Quartered Oak Suite, includes a 60-inch buffet, oblong extension table, one arm and five small chairs. Old English finish. On sale, **$219.00**

8-Piece Quartered Oak Suite, with 50-inch buffet, fitted with shaped plate mirror, round top extension table, one arm and five small chairs. This is Queen Anne design and golden finish. On sale **$159.00**

A 9-Piece Fumed Oak Dining-Room Suite, including buffet with shaped mirror, double door china cabinet, round top extension table, one arm and five small chairs. The nine pieces on sale for **$189.00**

An 8-Piece Fumed Oak Dining-Room Suite, includes buffet with bevel plate mirror, round top extension table, one arm and five small chairs. The eight pieces on sale for **$135.00**

An 8-Piece Solid Oak Dining Suite, consisting of buffet with plate mirror, round top extension table, one arm and five small chairs. On sale for **$95.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Hundreds of Yards of Cretonnes on Sale Today

Cretonnes, 36 inches wide; in a fine range of designs. Amazing value. On sale, a yard ..... **29¢**

Cretonnes, 30 and 36 inches wide; a fine assortment of patterns to select from. Qualities taken from our highest priced fabrics. On sale, a yard ..... **37¢**

Cretonnes, 31 and 36 inches wide; fine English fabrics, including some imitation shadow cloth. Wonderful value. On sale at, a yard ..... **49¢**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Hand-Block Printed British and French Cretonnes, on Sale at $1.59 and 98c a Yard

Exclusive British and French Hand-Block Cretonnes, 30 inches wide; choice designs and handsome fabrics. Included in this assortment are several exclusive designs transferred from the studio of interior decoration to the drapery department for the February Sale. Regular $2.25 value. On sale, a yard **$1.59**

Block Printed Cretonnes, 30 inches wide; 12 pieces taken from our regular stock. Values to $1.75. On sale for, a yard ..... **98¢**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor